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REGISTERS OF CORRESPONDENCE, 1844-1900

Aug. 1876 - Mar. 1879

Box 11 NC-152 Entry 8

August 1876.

18.

To

D. M. 257. Forw bills C. Lennig & Co 1876 supplies furnished in last fiscal year.

19.

From (Telegram)

929 D M Inqu. when 1/4's can be expected.

From

930 Do Send Requisition. An advance will be made when Appn. Bill is received.

From

931 Do Inqu. if a balance and weights can be spared for Helena A.A.

From

932 R M Taylor 1st Comptroller Bullion A/c. 1st qu 1876 adjusted and found correct.

From

933 D King Newport R.I. Ackn chk $30.25 refunding double payment & chges. Garland medal.

From

934 J. S. Harton Camden N.J. Can supply 5,000 lbs. Nickel.

To

D M 259 Forw report Coinage, week ending 19th.

To

Do 260 Forw Coiner's Statement dies used up first 6 mo. 1876. Returning M. L. Davis' request.

August 1876.

19.		To	
	D.M.	261	Acctn. informal notice appts &c & forw Requis. $37,100. Remark on hardship to M Carpenth[illegible].
	(Telegram)	To	
	Do —	263	$45,000 in $4's delivered. Will give $40,000. daily.
		To	
	Do —	264	Acctn. instructions to undertake Coinage for Venezuela.
21.	From		
	935 D.M.		Appr. appt. E.R. Rout, M & R Dept, Sept. 1.
	From		
	936 Do —		Inqu. prices of various supplies for Helena A.T.
	From		
	937 Do —		Bills of "Item" and Post, Fairbright & C. last fiscal year, cannot be paid without a Deficiency Bill.
	From		
	938 A.U. Wyman Treas U.S.		On 4th Aug sent checks to Knickerbocker Ice C.
	From		
	939 Do —		Forw $1530.06 in $ rec'd from P.O. Dept (Sale value to be credited for Recoinage).
	From		
	940 R.W. Taylor 1st Comptroller		A/c Subs Coinage for Redemption June 9-30, adjusted & found correct.
	From		
	941 Nevada Bank S.F.		Forw 55 bars N.B. aggr 750,000.

21

From
942 E Kelly & Co NY — Acknowledgment Sept 18th.

From
943 A Varnickell N.Y. — Offering 20,000 lbs Copper @ 19½¢.

To
Do — 266 — Act for Mint & C. metals withdrawn.

To
E R Prout Phila 267 — Notice of appt.

To
36 Asbury 268 Quincy Ill. — Relation of "Silver Dollar Coinage" to "Silver Question".

To
A.U. Wyman 270 Treas U.S. — Acknowledgment $153.08 Silver 39 for Recoinage. Requ. instructions from D.M.

22

From
944 D.M. — Regulations for Refinery &c.

From
945 Do — Requisition for August $37,150 — approved.

From
946 A L Snowden Coiner — Objecting to small size and weight of blanchets for Venezuela Coins.

From
947 J. A. Grier Asst. Engr. — Pumping water for Street Sprinkling; 8,000 @ 10,000 gal., would cost $8.00 @ 10 — a day.

From
948 B W Raymond Burnwell 1870 — Form mineral for examination

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22.

To
D.M. 271. Can send a balance to Helena A.O. A clerk one wanted here.

To
T Hillhouse A.T., N.Y. 273 Notice of chk $78,843.82 favor E Kelly & Co. Forw. spoiled chk #6823.

To
E Kelly & Co N.Y. 274 Forw chk as above for SB from Nevada Bank.

To
D.M. 275 Forw $20,763.10, unpacked bars from Denver Mint coined.

To
J.L. Schirmer Assayer, Denver Mint 276 Do

To
D.M. 278 Sugn. when Refinery ground reduced salaries, begin.

To
Do. 279 Readjustment of wages will depend on whether Appropn. can hold out and leave margin.

To
J. Dallett & Co Phila 283 Forw. copy Coiner's letter on size etc proposed Venezuelan coins.

23. From
949 D.M. Instructions relative to recoinage of $153.06 in 3¢ silver.

From
950 Do Offer to Geo Morgan of London of temporary engagement.

From
951 Do See Treas requ. to issue duplicate 2d for Life Saving Medals sent in June

23.

To

DM 284 Forw Ord Apt July.

To

Do 285 Forw prices of supplies for A.O, Helena,

(Private) To

Do 286 Relative to arrangement for compensation of Book Keeper.

To

Do 290 Subm. form advt. for Minor Coinage Blanchets.

From

951½ A.R. Little Cash Medal Com. Requ. a Planchet sent to Benedict & Burnham Waterbury Conn.

24 From

952 D.M. Postpone readjustment of wages till D.M.'s visit. Monthly rate of Appropn may be exceeded if necessary

From

953 W.G. White A.A.T., N.Y. Requ. for $100,000 subs. D. on T.O. #3692.

From

954 H. Finnegass Asst. Serv., S.T. Division Requ. if octagonal Gold dollars have ever been coined by Mint.

From (Telegram)

Filed in 956. 955 D.M. Postpone advt. for Minor C. Planchets till D.M. comes.

To

T. Hillhouse A.T., N.Y. 291 $100,000. Subs. D. sent same day.

To

DM 292 Subm. 8 appts. Gen. Dept. and 4 in Coiner's Dept.

To

G. Eyster A.T., Phila. 294 Forw. $153.09 for deposit and credit to Treas U.S. in Currency for coinage of 3¢ Silver.

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25 Filed with 955.	From 956	D M W	Form of advt for M.O. planchets approved with suggestion as to weight.
Filed in 944	From 957	Do —	Refinery &c and reduced Salaries begin Aug 15.
	From 958	Do —	Asks Ord &c July
	From 959	Do —	Instructions to furnish supplies to Helena A.O; and prepare fine gold &c & send it, with Stamps, to D.M.
	From 960	Do —	Relative to compensation of Messrs Lowe, Hewitt & Simpson.
Filed together D.M.W.	From 961	Do — Treasury U.S.	Directing compliance with Request for coinage of 33/4 small silver & Credit of Total —
	From 962	A.U. Wyman Treasurer U.S.	Request as above, and for the coin.
	From 963	Do —	Notice P.O. # 3709 SB from NY A.O.
	From 964	R.W. Taylor 1st Comptroller	Ord &c 20 Jul 1876 adjusted.
	From 965	A.L. Snowden Coiner	Explaining nominations of ER Pacquet & J. Poulenson.
	From 966	J.C. Booth M.T.R.	Absent for sickness. Asst M.T.R. recalled.
	From 967	Nevada Bank SF	Forw 47 bars S.B. & oz 750,000.

25.		To	
	H Finnegass Rec. Rev., S.F.	295	Mint never made octagonal half dollar.
	(Telegram)	To	
	T.C. Acton Supt A&M NY	296	Inqu if A&M will receive Gold Dust. #16.
		To	
	A.U.Wyman Treas USA	297	$153.06 in 3¢ silver received & tale val. deposited with A&T. — $33 1/4 small silver also received.
		To	
	D.M.	298	Subm. appt. ER Bacquet and S. Tomlinson, A&Dept.
		To	
	Do —	299	Forw C/D $50 12/100 sale old materials.
	From {Copy}		
Filed in 964	967 1/2 J.C. Booth M&R		Relative to receivings from NY A&M, other than "Commercially Fine" Silver
	do M&R of A&M NY		
26	From		
	968 D.M.		Appts. & appts Gen Dept and at in A&M Dept.
	From (Telegram)		
Filed together	969 Do —		Nevada Bank complains of delay in Paymt. for OB.
	From (Telegram)		
	970 Do —		Pay Nevada BK. approximate value.
	From		
	971 A.U.Wyman Treasurer U.S.		Forw. dft. Aug. Requisition, $37,150 —
	From		
	972 J.C. Booth M&R		Still sick. Hope to return 28th.
	From		
	973 Nevada Bank S.F.		Forw 63 bars OB 9/c oz 750,000.

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26			To	
		DM	300	Forw Coine's report week ending 26th.
		(Telegram)	To	
		Do —	301	Relative to payment for Nevada Bank Silver.
			To	
		J. Hillhouse A. T, N.Y.	302	Notice of chk. favor Kelly & Co. $182,507.24
			To	
		Kelly & Co N.Y.	303	Forw above chk a/c Nevada Bank N.B.
			To	
		DM	304	Inqu. when D.M. will come. Recent nominations all needed for Gen Dept.
			To	
		Do —	305	Refinery charges insufficient to meet expenses. Necessity of increase.
28.	From			
	974	DM		Acct. C/D $50 1/2 old materials.
	From			
	975.	Do. —		Offer. a/cts. Pasquet & Tomlinson C Dept.
	From			
	976	Do —		Ordering dies for S.F.
	From		(Telegram)	
	977	Do —		Bid call next day.
	From			
	978	A.M. Wyman Treasurer S.F.		$33 1/4 tale value small silver to be credited in Recoinage C/D
	From			
	979	J. Gilfillan A. Washington		Acct $50,000. Subsidiary silver

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28 From
980 Nevada Bank S.F. — Forw 20 bars DB completing oz 750,000.

From
981 H A Bassett Malvern Ark (Referred by Treas Dept) — Inqu. amt. gold coin in a gallon measure. Official Statement wanted for use in court.

To
W Barber Engraver 307 — Ordering dies for S.F.

To
E Kelly & Co N.Y. 308 — Forw chk $240,000. p/c DB from Nevada Bank.

To
A.T., N.Y. 309 — Notice of above.

To
DM 310 — Suggesting that balances for A.C. Helena, be ordered of Froemmer.

To
H A Bassett Malvern Ark 311 — Forw. official Statement amt Gold Coin in a gallon.
312 — Assayer's Statement as above.

29. From
982 A.U. Wyman Treas U.S. — Notice of T.O. # 3711, DB from NYAO

From
983 J.M. Floyd Actg Supt AO NY — Forw invoice DB. T.O. # 3709. M+R of AO consists 990, limit of "Commercial" Fineness. Inqu. views of M. + R. of Mint.

J. Wheeler 967½ + 984.

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29 From
984 J. C. Booth
M & R

Considers 997½ limit of Fine Silver, & must decline all below, from Nyas & even this if badly refined.

From
985 A. L. Snowden
Coiner

Requ. instructions for testing experim. blanks Venezuelan coin.

To
D. M. 313. Requ. 50 blank Oaths

To
G. A. Baldwin 314 Notice of appt. Gen Dept.
Phila.

To
T. C. Acton 315 Forw. M & R's letter fixing limit of Fine S. at 997½, and stating approval of D. M., then at Mint.
Supt AC NY.

To
A. L. Snowden 318 Authorizing experiments with 1000 Venezuelan blanks.
Coiner

30. From
986 H. T. French
Asst. Sec. Treas.

Requ. why weekly report assets & liabilities, ordered 3rd, has not been sent.

From
987. A D M
R E Preston

Returning for correction Annual Statements Dep. & Purchases, and Domestic Production,

From
988 T. C. Acton
Supt AC NY

Forw. 2 B. on T. O. 3711, and stating that certain melts were Mex. Dollars.

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30. From
789 J C Booth Supt M & R — Consenting to receive $ B from N Y A.A. (see 788) T.O. # 3711.

To
S G Broughton Phila. 319 Supt. how soon supplies for Carson can be delivered.

To
H. F. French Asst Rec Treas 320 Statement of Checks balances has been sent daily. General Balance Sheet could not be made weekly.

31. From
990 A D M — Ordering Chk $23348 paid sent to Kelly & Co., N.Y., bal due Nevada Bank for $.B.

From
991 Do — Form 50 blank oaths.

From
992 W H Covington Phila. — Supt. about payment of Ground Rent in Silver Dollars. (Mem. of Assayer filed herein.)

From
993 S. Stein NY — Offering coin of Mint & Sates. (Mem. by Assayer endorsed)

From
994 J M Sanford Oxford Mass — Supt charges for assaying ores.

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31.		To	
	W W Beaumont Phila.	323	Notice of appointment
		To	
	G R Logan Phila.	324	Do —
		To	
	J A Smith Phila	325	Do —
		To	
	H Frick Phila.	326	Do —
		To	
	W Armstrong Phila	327	Do —
		To	
	J Marsh Phila	328	Do —
		To	
	J L Olmstead Phila.	329	Do —
		To	
	J Barnard Phila.	330	Do —
		To	
	J Christy Phila.	331	Do —
		To	
	J A Gorgas Phila.	332	Do —
		To	
	H A Murray Phila.	333	Do —
		To	
	J M Sanford Oxford Mass.	334	Referring to private Assayers.

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31.		To	
	S Stein N.Y.	336	Declining offered coin.
		To	
	D M	337	Form report Coinage August.
		To	
	E Kelly & Co N.Y	338	Form chk $28.48/100 a/c bal D.E. from Nevada Bank, by order D.M.
		To	
	J Hillhouse A.T. N.Y.	339	Notice of above chk.
		To	
	W.H. Ovington Phila	340	Relative to Silver Dollar in which Ground Rents are payable.
		To	
	D M	342	Name of G.A. Baldwin, recently appointed, not Geo. but Governier.
		To	
	Do	343	Form oath J Coleman Gen Dept.
?	From		
	994 1/2 D.M.		Introducing N.J. Baxter and friends.

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1	995	From A.D.U.C.	Forw copy letter Secy State, authenticating J Dallett & Co as Agents of Venezuela in Coinage matter.
	996	From T.P. Acton Supt AO NY	Forw report test Coins July.
Filed together.	997	From A. Smith Chicago	Complaining of low returns from Blk Hills gold dep.
	998	From W.E. DuBois Assayer	Reply to above.
	999.	From T.C. Brent Richmond, Va.	Offering Pyrites for mf. of Sulphuric Acid.
	1000	From J.J. Edmunson Baltimore	Offering lump fine Silver.
	1001	From A McIntyre Phila. (Telegram)	Tabernacle Ch will pay its part cost of partition wall.
	1002	From J.B. Colgate & Co NY	Want their T.D. for export.
	1003	From C.L. Stoner York Pa	Forw Copper ore for assay, (Mem. of Assayer herein)
	DM	To 344	Forw oath E.R. Grout M & R Dept
	Assayers Comer and M & R	To 345	NYAO report test coins July

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1.		To	
	D'M	346	Returning Annual Statement Dep't & Purchases altered as requested.
		To	
	Do-	347	Repat of monthly Examination Aug 31. Condition satisfactory, Cash on hand $1,340,203.86
	(Telegram)	To	
	J.B. Colgate & Co NY	349	Can't give T.D. - no longer made here.
		To	
	D'M	350	Forw oath E.R. Pasquet C. Dept.
		To	
	J.C. Brent Richmond Va	354	Pyrites not wanted.
		To	
	J.J. Edmonson Baltimore	352	Cannot buy bd silver but can take as deposit.
		To	
	C.S. Stoner York Pa.	353	Referring to private assayers.
		To	
	A. Smith Chicago	354	Reply to complaint of low returns.
2.	From		
	1004	ADM	Ackn oath J.C. Newman Gen'l Del
	From		
	1005	Do-	Ackn correction in name of G.A. Baldwin.
	From		
	1006	Do-	Bill of Strieby & Kerr for Gold Refining Apparatus from Ch't, approved & to be deducted from Contingent Fund.

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2.	From		
	1007	O. H. LaGrange Supt Mint S.F.	Regn. Silver Assay Coins sent by Express
Filed together D.M.'s also herein No. 1010	From	(Telegram)	
	1008	A.D.M.	Do not send S.F. Assay Coins.
	From		
	1009	H. Moran Exp. Co Express Phila	Form bill advertising.
		To	
	D.M.	355	Form report Coinage week ending 2nd
4.	From		
Filed in 1007 (D.M.)	1010	A.D.M.	Deposit S.F. Assay Coins with N.T., Phila.
	From		
	1011	Do.	Acts oaths E.R. Grant and E.R. Paquet
	From		
	1012	A.L. Snowden Coiner	Relative to new Engine for Coining Room.
	From		
	1013	J. Contner Mullheim Pa	Form or for Assay.
	From		
	1014	E.M. Goodman Glen's Falls NY	Offering American coin of 1793.

4.

To
DM 356 Forw oaths 6 Gen Dept, and 5 C Dept.

To
J Entner 357 Specimen is poor iron ore.
Mullheim Pa

To
B W Raymond 358 Mineral is mica Sandstone.
Burnsville WVa

To
E L Jones 359 Cannot give separate assays of small deposits under $100. value.
Pres.
Atlanta Ga

To
E M Goodman 360 Cabinet coll. of Coins is complete. $ Dollar 1795 not at a premium.
Glens Falls NY

5. From
1015 ADM Acts Sec Treas order TD made for Colgate & Co. for export. Forw copy letter A & Co to D, M.

From
1016 J Mister Forw PO Order $10. fee on filing Caveat in Patent Office.
Harrisburg Pa

To
DM 361 Forw oath 5 March Gen Dept

To
J Mister 362 Returning P.O. Order (see 1016)
Harrisburg Pa

To
DM 363 Forw Mint Coinage Statement August

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5.

To
T Hillhouse 364 Notice of chk $176.348 74/100
A.T., Nev. favor E Kelly & Co.

To
E Kelly & Co 365 Forw above chk pc SB from
Nev Nevada Bank

To
DM 366 Forw Requisition Dept $49.000-
with remarks.

To
Do- 368 Last chk sent in paymt for OB.
from Nevada Bank. Bal. with
AT Nev about $15,500.

6 From
1017 A.D.M. Ackn oaths 11 employés.

From
1018 T Acton Requ paymt G. Inv.# 17 & 18
Supt AO Nev speedily.

From
1019 J. G. Miles Wants $500. or $600. Silver
Mt Gilead, O. change, for greenbacks.

To
Do- 369 Referring to Treasor A.T., Nev.

To
DM 370 Forw pc Nev Subs Silver and
Refinery pc, August.

To
J B Colgate & Co 371 Will make Dy by special
Nev. permission Acts. Sec. Treas.

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7.	From 1020	A.D.M.	Returning Requis. for Mission Libs. Dies, Coinage Fund — not to be drawn on unless necessary towards end of year.
	From 1021	Do —	Forw copy letter Comer & Sf. complaining that certain ½ Dol. Dies are too flat & brittle. Requ. opinion of Comer & Engraver.
	From 1022	Do —	Ordering dies for Carson.
	From 1023	Do —	Acks oath T Marsh Gen Dept
	From 1024	Do —	Acks Mint Coinage Statements, Aug.
	From 1025	Do —	Forw Books of Estimates.
	From 1026	(Telegram) J C Acton Supt at NY	Wants Gold Coins.
	From 1027	Do —	Forw report test coins Aug.
	From 1028	W Barber Engraver	Requ. from D.F. proofs for length ½ & ¼ dies.
	From 1029	J J Roes Mint	Requ leave of absence.
	From 1030	P Morris Augusta Ga	Making Gr S. dep.

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7.

To
Assayer, Coiner and M&R — 372 — Report My assay test coins Aug.

To
DM — 373 — Forw amended Requis. Sept.

To
Do. — 374 — Forw. Estimates 1877-8, with remarks, especially as to salary of Book Keeper.

To
A.K. LaGrange Supt Mint S.F. — 380 — Forw copy Engraver's request for gauges.

To
DM — 381. — Repr forw. dies to S.F.

8. From (Telegram)
1031 — D.M. (at N.Y.) — Can Mint pay Mty A.O. gold coin immediately?

From
1032 — ADM — Reqn. number C-nickel and C-bronze cents struck 1864.

From
1033 — Do — Acker & Co Mf Subs Coin, and Refinery A/c Augs.

From
1034 — J.C. Booth M&R — Forw reports G & S melting Augs.

To
DM — 382 — Forw Draft A/c Silver Assay Coins S.F. from A. Phila

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8.		To	
	DM	383	Forw Ord Asst Aug.
	(Telegram)	To	
	DM—	383½	Sent AD $180,000: have $40,000
	army.		left.
		To	
	DM	384	Forw. M. & R's report letter, Gr & Melting, Aug.
9.	From		
	1035	A DM	Requis. Sept. approved @ $49,000.
	From		
	1036	Do—	Asst. Estimates 1877-78.
	From		
	1037	J. H. Gautier & Co Jersey City N.J.	Requ. opportunity to supply crucibles.
		To	
	DM	385	Forw. report Coinage with Sundry 9th.
		To	
	ADM	386	Forw Coiner's Statement sent
	R. B. Preston		Coinage 1864, as requested,
		To	
	Do—	387	Forw reports of Coiner and Engraver on alleged defective dies at P. F.

11	From		
	1038	A.D.M.M.	Acks. Ord. Apr. Aug.
	From		
	1039	H.A. Bassett Malvern Ark	Requ. certified copy Statement fallan contents in gold coin.
	From		
	1040	F. H. Taylor "Graphic", Phila.	Wants drawing Centennial Award Medal.
		To	
	A. U. Hyman Treas U.S.P.	389	Requ To $31,999 — Minor Coins reissued.
12	From		
	1041	D.M.M.	Forw copy of authority to pay for deposits of SB in gold @ 101¢ per std.
Filed together also herein No. 1050	From		
	1042	Do	Replying affirmatively to inquiry about above.
	From		
	1043	Do	Directing new Engine made for Coining Rooms
Filed in 944 Dom	From		
	1044	Do	Ordering deposit of Refinery Charges July 1 — Aug 14.
	From		
	1045	Do	In Sept make $75,000. dimes.
	From		
	1046	Do	Acks reports Coiner & Engraver on alleged defective dies, S.F.
	From		
	1047	Do	Acks statement Cent Coinage 1864.

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12	From 1048	D.M.	Asks report Coinage week ending 9th.
	From 1049	A.U.Wyman Treasurer U.S.	Notice of P.O. #3747 O.R. from NYAO.
	(Telegram)	To 390 D.M.	Requ. if price for CB dep. applies to D. parted from G. dep.
		To 391 Do	Asks order to make $75,000 dimes.
		To 395 ~~D.C.Bassett~~ Melvern AuO	Forw. Certified Statement (3924) gold coin cont'd in a gallon measure
		To 396 D.M.	Forw. V/O $368.58 Refinery Chgs July 1 – Aug 14.
13	From 1050	D.M.	Pay for D. parted from G. dep. @ 101% per oz Std.
	From 1051	A.D.M.	Returning by EO Beach, Aug. 9, Payrolls for correction.
Filed together.	From 1052	A.U.Wyman Treasurer U.S.	Forw. $32,483.25 imperfect coins for recoinage.
	From 1053	Do – to D.M. Referred to Mint	Requ. recoinage of above.

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13.		To	
	D.M.	397	Asks. instructions to obtain new Engine for Refining Room
		To	
	Do	399	Do Refinery Charges include chge for making fine bars?
		To	
	H.F. Manges Sunbury Pa	400	Report of assay of Gold ore.
		To	
	D.M.	401	Inquiring if building of new Engine for Ref. Room is to be thrown open to competition?
14	From		
Filed in 944 D.M.	1054	D.M.	Forw. copy instruc. of Dec. 7th. relative to depositing Parting Chgs and making requis. for Refinery Expenses; - with detailed orders.
	From		
Do.	1055	Do	Asks C/D $568.58 Refinery Charges.
	From		
	1056	A.L. Snowden Comer	Notice of brief absence and appt. of D.C. Rockyhill Asst Comer
	From		
	1057	J. Stocking Mahanoy City, Pa	Inqu. Charges for assay.

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14		To	
	D.M.	404.	Forw Dft $237.04 cy. % Refinery Charges to Sept. 7. Inqu. if wages are to be p^d in gold.
		To	
	Knickerbocker Ice Co. Phila.	406	Order to reduce ice supply.
15	From		
	1058	D.M.	Invite bids for new 6 Room Engine, & refer them to Supt. if he returns in 10 days, otherwise to D.M.
Filed in quarto	From		
	1059	Do —	Charges on all dep. for Fine Bars go into Refinery Acc.
	From		
	1060	Do —	Ordering Drawbench Dies for C.P.
	From		
	1061	A.M. Wyman Treas. U.S.A.	Notice of T.O. #3756, mine d. from A.T., Cincinnati.
	From		
	1062	J.C. Acton Supt A.O. N.Y.	Forw. S.B., T.O. # 3747.
	From		
	1063	G.B. Worthington Batavia N.Y.	Forw dft $50. for Subs. C.

15. To

J B Hocking 407 Stating assay charges.
Mahanoy City, Pa.

To

O C Baxbyshell 408 Ordering Copper for tubes in Refinery
Acts Coiner

To

J C Acton 409 Noting error in Std. wt. of $2 on
Dupt AO. N.Y. To #3747.

To

G. B. Worthington 410 Returning dft. sent for Subs. Silver
Batavia N.Y.

To

D M 411 Notice of exchange $3,433.25 in gold of
Subs. coins from Treas U.S.

To

Do 412 Forw. proof G. & S. & bar stamps
for AO Helena.

To

Do 413 Inqu. size of "drawbench Dies" for
S.F.

16 From

1064 D. M. Ordering 61,000 T.D. mascandent
N.Y.A.O. and inqu. to what other
depositors T.D. are owing.

Together

From

1065 L R Compertheraite Due N.Y. A.O. 155,489 T.D. The
Book Keeper 61,000 it was expected would be
purchased.

From

1066 A.U. Wyman Forw. dft $49,000. requis.
Treas U.S. September.

From

1067 Do Inqu. from what office item of
$1900 M. C. Redemption &c came.

16 From
1068 J B Melvin — Lowell Mass — Sugr. charge for assaying nickel.

From
1069 F M Hobson — Freeland Pa — Recom. suspension of coinage of 20¢ piece.

To
A U Lyman — 415 — Item of $1900 was from A.T. Boston, Source inadvertently omitted.
Treas U.S.

To
J B Melvin — 416 — Mint assays only G. & S.
Lowell Mass

To
D M — 417 — Forw report Coinage week ending 16th.

To
O C Bosby chief — 418 — Relative to loss on exchange of $32,488 25/100 for Treas, U.S.
Act Coiner

as of date 14 — A L Snowden — 446 — (replaced by another letter)
Coiner

From LB p. 419-20
W E DuBois — Forw list of articles shipped to A.O., Helena.
Assayer

To
D M — 421 — Forw. above list.

To
Do. — 422 — Relative to T.D. due N.Y. A.O. and stoppage of Coinage thereof.

To
Kelly & Ladwig — 424 — Requ. bids for construction
Phila. — of new Engine for Coining Room

To
M. C. West — 426 — Do —
Phila.

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To
Morgan & Orr 428 Requ. bid for new Engine for
Phila. Coining Room.

To
O. A. Granges 430 Do —
Phila.

To
Baird & Kuston 432 Do —
Phila.

To
J Naylor 434 Do —
Phila.

To
G. A. Howard 436 Do —
Phila.

To
Williamson Bros 438 Do —
Phila.

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From
1070 DM Asks proof Gd Sand stamps
for Helena A.Q.

From
1071 Do. Ordering 25 D Bench "Dies" for S.F.
Consult Morgan & Orr about size.

From
1072 A.R. Wyman Incs Mint Notice of No. 3763, Nickels from
A.T. Charleston.

From
1073 Nevada Bank S.F. Pacific Refinery complains of two
low assays. Suggesting re-assay.

Filed together.

From
1074 H.E. DuBois Assayer Reply to above.

18. From
1075. W. N. Jeffers USN
Washington
Inqu. for Mex. War Veterans' Medal.

To
DM 440
Reporting having invited bids for new 6 Room Engine.

To
W N Jeffers 442
Washington DC
Referring to Asso. Vet. Mex. War.

To
Nevada Bank 443
San F.
Forw copy Assayer's reply to complaint of two low assays.

To
DM 444
Forw copy of letters of Nevada Bank and Assayer on above subject.

To
Do. 445
Calling attention to P/D a/c Refinery Charges, sent 14th., not yet acknowledged.

18 From
1076 R E Preston
Make enough PD to pay HMAC 6,000 immediately.

From
1077 Do
On Aug 26 ordered 24 dies D.F. only 12 yet reported sent.

From
1078 Do
Returning for Supt's signature Warrant #319 Ord A/c July.

From
1079 J C Abbott
Ellsworth N.H.
Forw $218— Light gold for recoinage.

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19.	From	
Filed in 1127, 2nd.	1080. Sir Redmond Barry Pres. Trust Com., Victoria,	Requ. medals etc for Public Library, Melbourne.
	From	
	1081. E. J. Kingsbury Novel Mfg Co Waterbury Conn.	Desires opportunity to bid for blanks, if any are wanted.
Filed herein 19-58	From	
	1082. J. B. Hocking Mahanoy City Pa	Requ assay of box of minerals. $ 3.00 enclosed.
	To	
	Do. 447	Only ordinary stones, good for road-making.
	To	
	E. J. Kingsbury 448 Waterbury Conn	No blanks for U.S. coins now wanted.
	To	
	D'M 449	Forw. dupl. bills supplies for Old Helena, & B/L etc.
	To	
	Do. 451	Returning Warrant #319 Ord & C July, Pfued.
	To	
	A.D.M. 452 R. E. Preston	Acknowledges to make T.D. for M.T. A.C.
	To	
	Do— 453	Rent 24 dies to S.F. but by error reported only 12.
	To	
	D'M 454	Forw. M. & R's letter on new Gold Refining Apparatus, and engagement of Prof. R. E. Rogers to train men in its use.

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20. From
1083 ADM R.E. Preston. Requ. statement of 750,000 $B purchased of Nevada Bk. 8 July 76

From
1084 Do- Refinery wages & bills for supplies, to be p^d in Gold. If the Gold from charges were sold the premium w^d be covered into the Treasury.

Filed in 944 DM

From
1085 Do- a/c Mfg subs't. and Refinery Ops referred.

To
DM 455 Requ. permission to give Lt R. Barry certain Medals for Pub. Library, Melbourne.

To
T. Hagner 458 Mint does not supply subs. Silver.
Treas- Tiffin, O.

To
ADM 459 Rep. forw. dies to Carson.
R.E. Preston

21 From
1086 ADM Returning bill of A.D. Helena for correction. Rec't approved.

From
1087 Do. Forw forms used at NYCH, for warrants for paying depositors.

From
1088 Do. Ackn Voucher 319 Ord a/c July, Requ. Aug. Pay rolls.

21. From
1089 A.M. Wyman Treas U.S. — Notice of P.O. 3736 silver dollars from NO for recoinage.

From
1090 P.K. Christie Brooklyn N.Y. — Sign date & denom. first U.S. coinage.

To
DM 460 Rep. form 25 - Draw Bench dies to P.

To
ADM 461 Advs. NY AO warrant forms.

To
DM 462 Forw Coine's ~~Statement~~ Silver workings Aug.

To
Do. 463 Aug. Payrolls detained awaiting Supt's signature & approval.

To
P.K. Christie Brooklyn N.Y. 464 Reply to inquiry about first coinage.

To
ADM 465 Forw bill agt AO Helena for proof G. & S.; W.E. DuBois.

22 From
1091 ADM — Forw letters from Dep. of State, and Japanese Minister: and packets to be assayed for Japanese Mint.

From
1092 Do. — Ord. a/c. July & Aug. referred.

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22 From
1093 ADM — Inqu. amt needed, in gold coin, for Refinery Expenses, Dept.

From
1094 J H Taylor Acting AT New Orleans (Telegram) — Forw. Silver agt TO# 3736, mostly dollars for recoinage.

From
1095 W E Davis AT Cincinnati — Inqu for Silver on TO# 3743.

To
J C Abbott Coll Wilmington N.C. 466 — Forw C/D $216.26 light gold recoined.

To
DM 467 — Forw C/D $91.12 Refinery Charges. M+K mints $295. for Ref. Expenses Dept. Explaining previous C/D $237.04 Cr.

23 From
1096 A.D.M. — Asks bill W E Dubois agaist AT Helena.

From
1097 Dor — Inqu. amt. BB. in 1857.

From
1098 S James Foreman Machine Shop — Recm increase, pd. of Schlemm + Davis, machinists.

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23.		To	
	DNW	469	Dow rep Coinage week ending 23rd
		To	
	ADW	470.	Ackn Packet Japanese Coins etc. for assay.
		To	
	DW	471.	Rep. amt $ in B.F. and to whom due. Requ. instructions about dep. by NYAA for P.O.
25.	From		
	1099 ADW		Funds for Refinery Exh. Dept. will be advanced Oct 1st.
	From		
	1100 Do.		Treas U.S. wants $100,000 in half dollars made at once.
	From		Ackn proofs DE & Eagle.
	From		Ackn Q/D $91.19 coin Refinery Charges.
	From		
	1103 A L Snowden Coiner		Recom. that visitors be excluded during the Centennial Exhib.
	From		
	1104 J J Davis Davisboro, Ga.		Wants $1. and $2.50 gold pieces of 1876.

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		To	
	DM	473	Requesting permission to close the Mint Sept 28th, "Penn" Day".
		To	
	ADM	475	Orders given to Com $300,000 in halves as requested.
		To	
	DM	476	Draw bill J.G. Boughton supplies for Assay Mint, & B/L.
		To	
	Do.	477	Draw Officers' Pay Roll Aug.
		To	
	J.B. Gautier & Co Jersey City NJ	478	No crucibles will be wanted for a long time.
		To	
	J.J. Davis Dawsonville Ga	479	Cannot furnish coins desired.

26.

From		
1105	A DM	After paying N.Y.A.O. 61,000 T.D., send DM. statement amt. due A.O. on dep for T.D., to be covered into B/A.
From		
1106	Do —	Has requested of Sec. Treas. advance of $500. p/c Refinery Expenses.
From		
1107	Do —	Draw Com'dg. $10. for 2 proof 1/2's, '76.
From		
1108	A.M. Wyman Treas U.S.	Notice of T.C. 3776 R.B. from A.O., N.Y.
From	(Telegram)	
1109	T.A. Acton Supt A.O., N.Y.	Inqu. for 61,000 T.D., wanted this month.

26.	From		
1110	J. J. Edmonson Baltimore		Inqu. size Commercial bars, charges on deposits, etc.
	From		
1111	L B Moore N.Y.		Inqu. how many coins of one denom. all the Mints could make in one day: also, address of Silver Commissions
	From		
1111½	A L Snowden Coiner		Nominating J. Kelley, F. H. Coles, and H. R. Kean, @ $2500 from 1 Oct.
		To	
	A Douglas Franklin N.Y.	480	The Mint does not distribute Silver coin.
		To	
	D M	481.	Subm. appts. F. E. Ellender and J McKee, Gen. Dept.
		To	
	L. B. Moore N.Y.	482	Reply to inquiries (1111.)
		To	
	D M	484.	Subm. proposals for new Coining Room Engine.
		To	
	A D M	486.	Forw. 2 proofs Half-Eagles '76.
		To	
	Cashier	487.	Order to deliver certain Minor Coins to M & R for Recoinage.
		To	
	D M	488	Reporting payment to NY A.O. 60,999 T.D. + 60/. Bal. due, Std. oz. 83,627 63/100
	(Telegram)	To	
	T. E. Acton Supt A.O. NY	489	Will send T.D. same day
		To	
	A. U. Wyman Treas. U.S.	490	Requ. T.D. $8600 (Minor) Coins Recoined.

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26		To	
	A. U. Wyman Treas. U.S.	491	Requ. P.O. $40,566— Minor Coins reissued.
27	From (Telegram)		
	1112 D.W.		Requ. Statement of Silver deliv'd by Nevada B'k, Purchase of July Issue.
	From		
	1113 A.D.W.		Request for closing of Mint 28th will be referred to D.W.
Filed together	From (Telegram)		
	1114 D.W.		Authorizing closing on 28th.
	From		
	1115 A.D.W.		A.G. Boughton's bill at Carson rec'd & approved.
	From		
	1116 Do—		Payrolls of Officers, Aug't rec'd & referred.
	From		
	1117 A.U. Wyman Treas U.S.		Draw 7 dft. $166 24/100, A.G. Boughton & others. (Treas'r's rec't endorsed)
	From		
	1118 J.C. Booth M.R.		Requ. authority to have book for Melt's Foreman's record, made.
		To	
	D.W.	492	Subm. appt. H.C. Bosworth and C.E. Montgomery, Gen Dept.
		To	
	Do.	493	Forw'd M.R's request for record book and requesting some authority to procure special supplies (of Stationery)—

27.		To	
		DM	495 Trans Statement of 750,000 US from Nevada Bank.
28.	From		
	1119	DM	Actn 2 proof 1/2 E. '76.
	From		
	1120	Do.	Actn 9/D 1800. Medal profits.
	From		
	1121	Do.	Appts. appt. FE Ellender and JMcKee, Gen. Dept.
	From		
	1122	T.E. Acton Supt. A.O. NY.	Requ. mint mem. on payt of 60,999 T.D, to adjust A/c's & determine bal. D.B. to be covered into Treas.
29	From		
	1123	D.M.	Directing monthly statement G.x.s. started.
	From		
	1124	Do.	Authorizing engagement of Prof R.E. Rogers to instruct men in use of new G. Refining apparatus. Hopes to purchase Doré soon.
	From		
	1125	Do.	Authorizing obtaining blank books etc needed in connection with Bullion Ops—
	From		
	1126	Do.	Appts. appt. H.B. Hough and C.E. Montgomery.

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29 Wolhersheim 1080.

From
1127 D.M. Admitting Gift of certain Medals to Sir R Barry, for Pub. Library, Melbourne.

From
1128 Treasurer U.S. Draw dft. $1500. Coin, Refinery Expenses.

From (Telegram)
1129 T.E. Acton Supt A.O. Ny. $9/100 correct (see L.B. 502)

From
1130. Do — Acton 60,999 T.D. + 60¢ subs. ¢, + requ. Mem. immediately.

From
1131 Do — Draw. DB on T.O. # 3776 (from Draft from Nevada Bk.)

From
1132 A.L. Snowden Coiner — Venezuelan Blanchets tested + found within: Size will be increased. Requ. instructions with regard to reception, coinage and delivery.

To
T.E. Acton Supt AO NY 496 Draw Mem. as requested.

To (Telegram)
D.M. 497 Inqu. value £3.629.63 R.B. from Ny A.O. to be covered into B.A.

To
J McKee Phila 498 Notice of appt.

To
T. E. Elleudon Phila 499 Do —

29.

To
H B Cough 500 Notice of appt.
Phila.

To
C E Montgomery 501 Do —
Phila

(Telegram) To
T D Acton 502 Difference in Statements R.B. Is 00 or 59 correct.
Supt A.O. N.Y.

(Telegram) To
Do — 502½ Requ. by telegram cost of RB for TD to be covered.

30.

From
1133 DW Ordering dies of new patterns made for small Silver: and motto punk in periphery if possible.

From
1134 Do. Have ½ dol. dies returned from S.F. examined & tested in presence of F. Eckfeldt. Foreman of Engr. Dept. to be appointed soon.

From
1135 Do. Forw copy telegram Supt A.O. that no mem of RB for TD &c. has been recd. Will make transfer same week.

From (Telegram)
1136 T. C. Acton Weight & cost of S.B.
Supt A.O. N.Y.

From
1137 J C Booth Requ discharge J S Irwin
M & R for intoxication & absence.
(Approved by Supt.)

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30. From
1138 J C & E Milburn Alexandria, Va. Forw coin for redemption.

From
1139 J B Minor Lexington Tenn. Forw mineral for assay.

From
1140 J A Massa Topeka Kansas Wants old S & G coined.

From
1141 S J Mason St Louis Mo Wants Silver ware coined.

From
1142 W J Yankee Nashville Tenn Inqu how many Dollars were struck in 1795.

To
Nevada Bank 504 Forw. Statement Purchase of
S.F. oz 750,000.

To
S J Mason 505 Stating terms on which St Louis rec'd
St Louis Mo. and paid for,

To
J A Massa 506 Forw Deposit Circulars.
Topeka Kansas

To
DM 507 Forw report assay Japanese coin
& samples.

To
J B Minor 508 Mineral is Pyrites.
Lexington Tenn

From LB 509
W E DuBois Report of assay of Japanese
Assayer coin & samples.

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30.		To	
	D. W.	511.	Four reports of Coinage, month of Sept. & week ending 30th.

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From
1143 D.M. — Price of Nickel declining. Suggesting policy of laying in a supply.

From (Telegram)
1144 Do. — Morgan will arrive soon. Take no action on proposed new Silver dies.

From
1145 T.E. Acton, Dept A.O., N.Y. — Reporting assay test coins Sept.

From
1146 Dame — Forw Gr. S. grain for assay coins 3rd qu 1876.

From
1147 R.W. Daniels, U.S. Depositary, Buffalo — Forw. $4997.00 light gold for recoinage.

From
1148 J.C. Booth, M.R. — Nominating S.A. Hains, Helper @ $2.00

From
1149 F.S. White, Holland Patent N.Y. — Ingn. value, cent 1794. and offering it for Cabinet.

To
D.M. 512 — Rep. monthly examination, 30th Sept. On hand $1,124,795.62/100.

To
Do. 514 — Forw oaths 4 laborers Gen Dept.

To
Assayer, Coiner, and M.R. 515 — NYAO repat test coins Sept.

To
F.S. White, Holland Patent NY 516 — Cent 1794 not wanted and not rare.

From
DB 517
W. E. DuBois, Assayer — Changes and additions for Annual Table of Foreign Coins.

2.

To
D.M. 519. Form Assayer's letter on changes in Table of Foreign Coins.

To
J.C.Y & E. Milburn Alexandria Va. 520 Bag Silver received. Can not be redeemed. Enqu. what Ex. Agt. shall do.

To
T.C. Acton Supt A.O.N.Y. 521 Acknlgt & Ss grains for test coins 3d qu '76.

To
W. J. Parker Nashville Tenn 522 Relative to Silver dollar coinage 1793-5.

To
A.U. Wyman Treas U.S. 523 Form Transcript Ys closing 3rd qu 1876, with explanations.

To
J.J. Emerson Baltimore 525 Replying to inquiries about Silver bars, charges, etc.

3.

From
1150 D.M. Geo Morgan, Special Engraver, to arrive soon. Directions regarding his employment. — Supt to confer with Mr A. Orr about sinking motto in periphery

From
1151 Do. Form letter from R.W. McCormick, Centl Medal Com, and requ. facilities for Mr A. Mitchell with regard to his Award Medal.

From
1152 Nevada Bank SF. Acknl. Assayer's letter on claim of too low assays.

From
1153 N. P. Hicks Teller 2d Nat Bk Hilkes Barré, Pa, Wants $3000 or $4,000. in Silver.

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3.		To	
	D.M.	527	Rep. discharge of J.S. Irwin M.R.Dept.
		To	
	Do.	528	Forw. Statements Minor Coinage Off. Dept.
		To	
	Do.	529	Forw. Refinery a/c Dept.
		To	
	Do.	530	Cannot discover that any one in the Mint has made representations concerning its Coinage capacity, alleged by Mr H.L. Gibbs of Marietta, O. Statement of Senator Sherman in Speech, strictly true.
		To	
	Do.	533	Forw. Requis. Oct. $49,000.
		To	
	E.A. Caswell NY.	534	Inqu. lowest price Nickel for Coinage.
		To	
	Van Vast & McCoy NY	535	Do —
		To	
	J. Thurston Camden N.J.	536	Do —
		To	
	E. Samuels & Co. Phila	537	Do —
		To	
	C. Robbins & Sons NY	538	Do —
		To	
	D.M.	539	Forw a/c $20,000. Minor Coinage Profits.

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4. From
1154 D.M. Acks oaths of employés Gen. Dept.

From
Feldheim 1173-ck. 1155 Do. Form letter Coiner S.F. on alleged defective dies, for consideration and report by Coiner & Engraver.

From
1156 Do. Proposal of J. Naylor for Room Engine, accepted. Contract to be prepared.

From
1157 Do. Bal. Q.B. due N.Y.A.O. in T.D., to be transferred to B.F. of Mint.

From
Feldheim 1082 1158 J.P. Hocking Mahanoy City Pa. Wants report on Mineral rent.

To
D.M. 540 Bal. Q.B. from N.Y.A.O. was credited to B.F. and so reported to Treas. U.S. 30 Sept, to balance 4th Quarter.

To
A.P. Hicks Wilkes Barré Pa. 541 Apply for Silver coin to A.T., Phila.

5. From
1159 A.T. Pomant Acty. Rec. Treas. Q/D $26,775.21 Aug 2nd with A.T. Phila. for Silver profits, not rec'd.

From
1160 D.M. Notice of purchase of 300000 Oz Bars of J.W. Seligman & Co. @ 115½. $500,000. sold placed with A.T. N.Y.

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5. From

1161. D.M. Acks O/D $20,000 M. C. profits.

From

1162. Do. Acks M.C. Reports, September,

To

J.B. Hocking 542 Minerals, common stones. Fee $3—
Mahanoy City Pa. returned.

To

D.M. 543 Forw report of Coiner & Engraver on letter of Coiner S.F. on defective dies.

From LB 5444

A.E. DuBois Assayer Presenting to admit P.G. Salom to Assay Laboratory, on certain conditions.

To

O.F. Conant 547 Forw. O/D Aug 2, as requested — acci-
Actg Sec Treas dentally retained with duplicate.

To

G. Eyster 548 Alleged shortage $1.29 on Silver deliv'd
A.T., Phila. 8 & 20 Sept, no fault of Mint, which sent full amt. Will exchange $6.00 imperfect coins.

To

D.M. 549 Forw O/D $359.26 coin Refinery Charges. 20 — 30 Sept.

6 From

1163 D.M. Purchasing Price of Silver, 1149 — Telegraph amount every Saturday.

From

1164 Do- Requis. Act. approved for $49.000.

From

1165 Do- Requ set in Copper of designs for proposed Silver Dollar.

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6.

From
1166 D M — Acct. Refinery a/c. Dept.

From
1167 Do. — Acct notice discharge J. S. Irwin M & R Dept

From (Telegram)
1168 J. W. Seligman & Co N.Y. — Will Mint receive oz 70,000 cent next day?

From
1169 B B McDonald Simpson W. Va. — Inqu about having ore assayed

From
1170 H. V. Stilwell Phila — Inqu if T.D. will pay Coined Cent payable in Silver Dollars, (Mem. of assayer filed herein)

To
Do. 550 — Reply to above.

To
B B McDonald Simpson W. Va. 552 — Charges for assay.

To
D M 553 — Acct instructions relative to purchasing & treating Silver.

To
Do. 554 — Trav Off. 32 P. unexpended bal. Subs. A. a/c.

(Telegram) To
J. W. Seligman & Co N.Y. 555 — Send DB Monday.

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From (Telegram)

1171 D.M. Afford Mr Mitchell every facility with Cut Award Medals.

From

1172 Do. Acknowledge $359.25 Refinery A/c

From

Filed in 1155 Ans. 1173 Do. Acknowledge report on alleged defective dies, S.T. Ordering for D.T., sets of dies (finished) and basins: and specimens therefrom, for D.M.

Filed together. From

1174 W Barber Engraver Forwarding finished dies called for above.

From

1175 J E Throop Trenton N.J. Forwarding Battered Dies for Opinions

Filed together. From

1176 A L Snowden Coiner Coin above is genuine.

From

1177 McCoy & Co N.Y. Will send quotations of Evans & Askins' refined Nickel.

To

D.M. 556. Forwarding A/c Mfg Rubs Silver, Sept 1, & Oct 6.

To

Do. 557 Forwarding set in Copper, proposed Silver Dollar designs.

To

Do. 558 Forwarding bill H.E. Mocumner, balances &c. for A.P. Helena.

To

Cashier 560 Deliver $420. mutilated $'s to M & R for Recoinage.

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7		To	
	D M	561	Tow report Coinage week ending 7th.
		To	
	A U Wyman Treas U.S.	562	Requ TO. 7420. recomd.
	(Telegram)	To	
	D M	563	Reporting Silver purchased & posted Sept 13 to date.
		To	
	N Actn Supt A of N.Y.	564	Rep. Q.B. on T.O. 3776. shortly 31.46.00
9	From		
	1178 D. M.		Actn. 7/8 32P, bal. 9/0. mfg. Dubs. Silver.
	From		
	1179 A U Wyman Treas U.S.		Tow for endorsement T.O. 3809 QB from N.Y.A.O dep for T.D and Purchased.
	From		
	1180 A L Snowden Coiner		Recom, that Venezuelan workings disbe made in Mint.
	From		
	1181 W H Cobb Cashier		Recom increase in pay of Clerks G.H. Brown & — Hackett.
	From		
	1182 J & W Seligman & Co N.Y.		Tow Q.B. of 76279 31/100 part from A.O., to be paid for at once.
	From		
	1183 C.I. Candee New Haven Conn		Inqu. about coin ages in 1800 and 1803.

7		To	
	A.U. Wyman Treas U.S.	565	Returning To# 3809 BB from NYAA
		To	
	J.E. Thropp Trenton N.J.	566	Report on battered quarter.
		To	
	A.T. Dandee New Haven Conn	567	Reply to inquiry (1183)
		To	
	D.M.	568	Relative to appt of Jorman Engr. Dept, vice R. Jefferson dec'd.
		To	
	Do.	571	Relative to placing motto on periphery of coins.
		To	
	Do	575	Rep. execution of contract with J. Naylor for C. Rom Engrie.
10	From		
	1184 D.M.		Asks bill & Treasurer balances AA Helena.
	From		
	1185 Do.		Asks A/c Mfg Subs Silver Sept 1st to Oct 6th
	From		
	1186 A. Lafrance Supt Mint S.F.		Forw assay coins 3rd qu 1876.
Filed in 1293 N.M.	From		
	1187 J.N. Lloyd Asst Supt AA NY		Invoice Wt of BB on P.O.# 3776 confirmed by 3 distinct weighings, without shortage.
	From		
	1188 P. Negley A.J. Dahlmore		Forw $4425.00 light $65 for Recoinage.

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Filed in 1309.

10 From

1189 S. F. Baird
U.S. Govt. Bd., Centl. Exhib.
Requ. attention to exhibit of gold ores from New So. Wales, for sale.

From

1189½ W. E. DuBois
Assayer
Requ. precautions for accuracy of Weigh Room reports.

To

E. Walters 576
Baltimore
Mint buys Silver dep. & pays in gold.

To

A. L. Brown 577
Diner
Authorizing dies for Venezuela to be made in Mint.

To

W. Barber 578
Engraver
Do.

To

S. F. Baird 579
Govt. Bd. Centl. Ex.
Mint cannot purchase gold exhibit from New So. Wales.

From LB 581

W. E. DuBois
Assayer
Rep. fineness of Russian 5-ruble pieces, from lot from N.Y.A.O.

To

DM 583
Do.
Recv. above.

To

Do 584
Rep. increase in pay of L. E. Leidy & G. W. Brown, Gen. Dept.

11 From

1190 D. M.
Acku. Medal Report 3rd qu. 1876.

From

1191 Do.
Requ. Statement of Medal and other dies prepared during fiscal year and information of extent of Medal operations.

From

1192 Do.
Requ. information of arrangements for Venezuelan Coin, & Specimens, if any have been made.

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From		
1193	D.M.	Relative to mottoes on coin. Plan of sinking on periphery abandoned.
From		
1194	A.U. Wyman Treas U.S.	Draw for $49,000. Requis. for Oct.
From		
1195	Do.	Notice of S.O. #3818, Mint Coin to A.T., NY
From		
1196	J Clarkford Supt Mint CC	Draw assay coins 3rd qu 1876
From		
1197	J.C. Booth M&R J.R. Dingman Register C.S. Cohran W. CC	Relative to mode of weighing Silver received — apropos of alleged shortage $3 from NY A.C.
Relative to 1293 D.M.		
From		
1198	J.W. Seligman & Co NY.	Draw for 57,786.46 oz andreqn. Deposit for part, being NYAC bars.
From		
1199	G.D. Peacock Chicago	Relative to wrong returns for deposit. & Mem. of Assayer herein
From		
1200	Corbin & Dobie Plattsburg NY.	Inqu. how to dispose of Jewellers Bars.
From		
1201	C. Beesley New London Wis.	Inqu. about Francis a method of separating Silver from Lead.

To
Corbin & Dobie 586 Explaining how to make dep. &c
Plattsburg NY.

To
D.M. 587. Draw Ord Aje Dept.

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11.		To	
	DM	588.	Lieuts. appts. S. Heins, G. A. Horner; incr. Ed. Schlemm; & transfer J. J. Roes.
12	From		
	1202.	D. M.	Com quarters at once. Urgent demand.
	From		
	1203	Do.	Appts. appt. J. McCann, foreman in Engr. Dept.
	From		
	1204	Do.	Appts. increased p. d. to $2.50 Eddy and J. M. Brown Gen. Dept.
	From		
	1205	Do.	Morgan will work at home. Supt. Engr to afford him every facility.
		To	
	G. D. Peacock Chicago	591	Returns for Reports, correct.
		To	
	J. & W. Seligman & Co N.Y.	593	Bar* 653 in 1st Invoice, 10 oz. short of invoice & stamp. (Newark)

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13	From			
	1206	D'M		Engn. of Delgmans have begun sending 2B of 300,000 purchased 3rd: also sent 2B in B.F.
	From			
	1207	Do.		Repeating request for return of value Japanese Coins assayed.
	From			
	1208	Do.		Purchasing rate of Silver 1154 per ℔ fine.
	From			
	1209	Do.		Ordering dies for $, 44 of 1876 and 311 of 1877. ($ letter enclosed)
	From			
	1210	Do.		Acknd Ord a/c Dept
	From			
	1211	J Crawford Supt Mint Carson		Forw. assay coins July & Aug accidentally left out of shipment 3rd.
	From			
	1212	A.L. Snowden Coiner		Preparations for Venezuelan Coinage. Dies and planchets not yet rcd. Weight to be increased.
			To	
		D'M	592	Forw value Japanese Coins assayed.
			To	
		Do.	594	Rcd of 134.000 2B from Delgmans. Of 463,000 in B.F.
			To	
		A.T., M.J.	595	Statement a/c to Sept 5th. correct.
			To	
		D'M	596	Arrangements made to coin Quarters as desired.
			To	
		Do	597	Acknd notice Purchasing rate Silver.

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13.		To	
	D.M.	598	Dorw. Comer's letter stating progress in prepn for Venezuelan Coinage.
		To	
	Do	599	Actn. order for dies for S.F.
		To	
	Beesley New London, Wis	600	Referring to Phillips' Mining &c of Gt. S., 1867.
14	From		
	1213 D.M.		Regn. Statement Silver parted from Gold, July 1 to Sept 30: and Do purchases since Sept 11.
	From		
	1214 Do.		Regn Engraver to prepare sketches for 1/2 & 1/4 dies with motto "In God we trust" & all the law requires.
	From		
	1215 Do.		Appn. appts etc. submitted 11th.
		To	
	DM	601	Dorw. rep. Coinage week ends 14th
		To	
	Mrs M Comer Phila	602	Appt of G.A. Comer.
		To	
	J Eldred Reading Mich	603	Apply to A.T., Chicago.
		To	
	DM	604	Reporting Silver parted and Silver purchases, as requested (1213)
	(Telegram)	To	
	Do.	606	Reporting do — Oct. 7 to 13.

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To

D.M. 608 Forw copy instrns. to Coiner relative to Venezuelan coinage.

To

H Aston 609 Forw letter M & R et al. relative to mode of weighing Bullion, & alleged Shortage,
Supt A.C. N.Y.

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From

1216 D.M. Asked value Japanese coins.

From

1217 A L Snowden Forw report of Q, S, & Bronze
Coiner Medals made, year 1875-76
and 3rd qu 1876.

From

1218 H Streeter Inqu about Eagle of 1801.
Towanda Pa

From

1219 J L B Sibley Inqu about "very peculiar" coin
Bridgeport Conn 1831 — one cent.

From

1219½ W E DuBois Suggestions to insure correctness
Assayer of Weigh Room reports.

To

Knickerbocker Ice Co 610 Reduce supply of ice.
Phila

To

D M 611 Forw oath S A & Coins G Dept

To

Do. 612 Forw. quotations for Nickel
received,

To

H Streeter 614 Relative to Eagle of 1801.
Towanda Pa

To

J L B Sibley 615 Relative to cent of 1831.
Bridgeport Conn

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16		To	
	D.M.	616	Trans oath G. Hermer, Cabinet.
		To	
	T.A. Acton Supt AO N.Y.	617	Returning Invoice #27 for correction in Std wt #4116.
		To	
	J. & W. Seligman & Co N.Y.	618	Adm 2 Invoices S.B.
		To	
	D.M.	619	Asst SB on hand & expected.
		To	
	Do	620	Trans statements of medals and dies made, 15 mo ending 30 Sept.
17	From	(Confidential)	
	1220. D.M.		Enjoining strict secrecy as to Purch. & rec. of S.B.
	From		
	1221	Do.	Apr mtgs. Subs. Silver Sept, referred.
	From		
	1222	Do.	Regn. in what year T. Peale visited Europe in Mint service.
	From		
	1223	Do.	Returning approved, regulations for Venezuelan coinage.
	From		
	1224	Do.	Refinery Apr Sept. referred. No need to state the cy. amount.
	From		
	1225	Do.	Regn. appt. T. Herring in M&R Dept. to prepare for Helena AO.
	From		
	1226	W.E. DuBois Assayer	Rep. assay 17 samples for J.G. Kellogg.

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17	From		
	1227	L C Wheeler Troy NY	Requ. remittance of returns for G. deposit.
	From		
	1228	A Denny Eaton O	Requ weight of G. dollar from 1792 to 1873.
	From		
	1229	E McArthur Bay St Louis, Miss.	Wants 10 T.D. for $10 cy. (Referred by Treas. Dept. to Mint.)
		To	
	T Hillhouse A. T, NY.	622	Notice of chk $87,993.00 favor Seligmans.
		To	
	J & W Seligman & Co NY	623	Forw. above chk for $2.
		To	
	L C Wheeler Troy NY.	624	Directing him to return receipt for deposit, endorsed to A. Co. Ile.
		To	
	D.M.	625	Subm appt F C Herring M & R Dept, as requested.
		To	
	Do.	626	Requ blanks Monthly statements deposits & purchases, Domestic prod^ts, and bars.
		To	
	Do.	627	Messages Du Bois thinks Teale was in Europe 1833-35.
		To	
	Do.	628	Forw Statements dep., purchases etc. July 1876.
		To	
	Do.	629	Forw report Assay Coins and Deliveries 3rd qu 1876.

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18	From 1230	DW	Offers of Ni. cannot be accepted. Authorizing advt when necessary for not over 5,000 lbs.
	From 1231	Do.	Has requested transfer from NY AA of oz 282.89 34 fine SB
	From 1232	Do.	Acks oaths SA Heins & J Konner Gen Dept
	From 1233	AW Wyman Treas A Sp	Notifying of T.O. *3836 SB from NY AA
	From 1234	JC Acton Supt AA NY	Returning Invoice *27, corrected
Filed in 1293 DW	From 1235	Do.	Relative to alleged shortage T.O. *3776, & mode weighing at NY, showing excess on every melt.
	From 1236	AL Snowden Coiner	Repeating requ. for increased pay, Mints Dorp & Georges
D.C.	From 1237	W Barber Engraver	Relative to use in D.C. dies 1877 & improvements in lettering.
		To J & W Seligman & Co. NY. 630	Forw chk $66,659 31/100 for SB.
		To J Hillhouse Ct, NY 631	Notice of above chk.

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19	From		
	1238	D. M.	Forw letter from Supt Ph & R, N.Y., A.D., and requ. M. & R's opinion on receiving certain grades S.B.
	From		
	1239	Do.	Appl appt J. A. Herring M. & R. Dept
	From		
	1240	Do.	Returning offers of Nickel
	From		
	1241	J. W. Seligman & Co. N.Y.	Asks chk for $7,993.07
		To	
	A. Denny Easton O.	632	Weights etc. of Gold dollar,
		To	
	A. U. Hyman Treas. U.S.	633	Requ. To $22,723 reissued,
		To	
	D.M.	634	Forw Copper specimen approved design D.E. and requ. if it shall be adopted for 1877.
20	From		
	1242	D.M.	Ord Appl Supt, referred,
	From		
	1243	Do.	Encl printed slips and requ. copy Pamphlet "Mint"
	From		
	1244	J. Crawford Supt Mint Carson	Requ. certain Assay Apparatus
	From		
	1245	J. C. Acton Supt at N.Y.	Forw S.B. on T.A. 3836.

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20. From
1246 J C Booth M×R — Reasons for objecting to receiving from N.A.O. other than fine Silver.

From
1247 J & W Seligman & Co N.Y. — Acknd $166,659.31 gold. Forw. $13. oz. 59,812 @ 999.

To
Same 636 — Forw. chk. $75,869.61 in paym't for $13,

To
J Hillhouse A.T. N.Y. 637 — Notice of above chk.

To
D M 638 — Forw pamphlet description of Mint with remarks & returning printed slips.

21 From
1248 D M — Will call soon. Do not send designs for coin.

From
1249 Do, — Forw. blanks for monthly Statements of Dep, Purchases & bars.

From
1250 H Troemner Phila. — Forw. weights for Helena A.O. for adjustment.

To
D M 641 — Forw. rep. Coinage week ending 21st.

To
Do. 642. — Forw letter of M×R and concurring in objection against receiving from N.Y. A.O. other than fine Silver.

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21.		To	
	D.M.	643	Rep. forw. dies to S.F.
23.	From		
	1251. D.M.		Acku. corrected Vouchers &c. Medal C/c 3d qu 76 duly referred.
	From		
	1252 Do.		Requ. statement at close of business every Saturday, of approximate amt S.B. in B.F.
	From		
	1253 A.L. Snowden Coiner		Dept Award Medal too large. Experiments being made in casting. Requ. for the Director Genl's authority to reduce to 3 in. diam., if Sept^{rs} fail.
	From		
	1254 Jas D. Schyman & Co NY		Acku. cht $25.869^{61}/_{100}$ gold C/c S.F.
		To	
	D.M.	644.	Forw C/D $188^{17}/_{100}$ Refinery Charges & requ. Dft. for same amt C/c Ref. Dep.
		To	
	Off. La Grange Dupt Mint S.F.	645	Acku. assay Coins 3rd qu 1876
		To	
	J. Crawford Dupt Mint C.C.	646	Do —
		To	
	J.M. Arthur Bay St Louis Miss	647	Can only sell proof S.D. Refers to brokers for ordinary coins

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24. From
1255. D.M. Asks objections to receiving from My A&O other than fine Silver. Rules will not be changed. D.B. will be delivd at Mint. Will try to get some Doré.

From
1256 J & W Seligman & Co N.Y. Forw DB oz 40,562.08 @ 999. in full of oz 300,000 @ 115½. Have sold oz 200,000 @ 116½ for delivery in November.

25. From
1257 A.D.M. R.E. Preston DB oz 101,115.29 fine, transferred from My A&O. = $115,854.23/11

From
1258 Do. Asks C/D $188.17 Refinery Charges

From
1259 Do. Has requ. advance $300 paid Refinery Expenses.

From
1260 Do. Requ. report on die returned from St. — use, condition, & temper.

Filed together.

From
1261 A.L. Snowden Coiner St. returned dies mostly found defaced, a few good; one made 264,000 impressions at Mint. Temper good.

From
1262 A.U. Wyman Treas U.S. DB transferred from My A&O, No. 3857, $115,854.23/11

From
1263 "The American" Montreal Forw ½ cent, Canadian, for Cabinet.

From
1264 G.L. Dutcher New Haven Conn Wants Silver Dollars, 10 of 1857 and 15 of 1876 for a Silver Wedding.

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25.		To	
	D.M.	648.	Requ. permission to reduce Cent Award Medal. Form Coiner's letter.
		To	
	G.H. Deutcher New Haven Conn	650	Cannot supply Silver dollars wanted.
		To	
	D.M.	651	Requ supply D.M.'s Report 1875.
26	From (Telegram)		
	1265 D.M.		Consult D.M. about reducing Cent Medal.
	From		
	1266 J.W. Taylor Cashr 1st Nat Bk Somerville N.J.		Inqu if dfts on A.T. N.Y. for $1269— can be cashed in Silver by Mint.
	From		
	1267 J. Welsh Phila		Form letter Mrs S.G. Wyatt, relative to certain coins.
	From		
	1268 F.P. Drinker Bloomsburg Pa		Inqu date last ½ cent coinage.
		To	
	D.M.	652	Form copy of Telegram by D.M. to Nevada Bank S.F.
		To 653	
	J.W. Taylor, Cashier to Somerville N.J.		Mint does not pay dfts on A.T.
		To	
	H.S. Huntington	654	Relative to value of coin found.
		To	
	F.P. Drinker Bloomsburg Pa	655	Last half cent coined in 1857.

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From
1269 A.R. Eyman Asst C of C — Forw $1,300 gold Refinery Expenses.

From
1270 T.C. Acton Supt CC Nev — Forw SB oz 101.115 29, J.O. 3857.

From
1271 Pardee, Markle & Grier Hazleton Pa — Want $1000 in Silver change.

From
1272 S.L. Seabrook Little Falls N.Y. — Inqu about weight & value of half eagles, especially that of 1808.

From
1273 C.L. Stewart Niagara Falls N.Y. — Inqu for diary cost at Mint Oct 11th

To
S.L. Seabrook Little Falls N.Y. 656 — ½ E of 1808 worth $5.30.

To
Pardee, Markle & Grier Hazleton Pa 657 — Mint cannot furnish silver coins.

To
C.S. Dennis & Sons Newark 658 — Presenting Statement of Accts.

To
R. Longman & Sons NY 659 — Do —

To
N. C. Wates & Co NY 660 — Do —

To
E. Balbach & Son Newark 661 — Do —

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To
J & W Selyman & Co
NY 662
Form chk $69.007/72 sold for QB.

To
T Hillhouse 663
AT NY
Notice of above chk

To
D M 665
Form Coiner's report on dies returned from S.F.

To
C L Stewart 666
Niagara Falls NY
Describing a new book formed which may be the diary inquired of.

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From
1274 A D M
R E Preston
Requ statement SB from J & W Selyman & Co of purchase of 300,000: also statement of purchases at Mint.

From
1275 J Gilfillan
AT Washington
Acct $30,000 Silver coin.

From
1276 S A Bent
Yorktown Va
Form lump (of brass) for steam.

To
D. M. 667.
Form rep Coinage week ending 28th

To
Do. 668.
Presenting statement approx. Amt. SB. on hand, and Silver Purchased, & parted, suggesting that Q. purchases be reported monthly, after calculations are made.

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28. To
D.M. 670. Requ. authority to advertise for Minor C. Metals.

30. From
1277. J & W Seligman & Co NY Advs. $69,007.72 for D.B.

From
1278. A A Squires Belton, Ga Inqu. address of persons dealing in Gold ores

To
Do. 671 Referring to certain firms.

To
D.M. 672 Forw copies of corresp. with Supt. A.C. NY., relative to claim by Mint of oz 31.46 shortage, SB., T.O. #3776.

To
M.T. Bonzano 674 Advs. order $100. fine G. & S. and forw. Assayer's reply.
A. in chg Mint, N.O.

From
1278½ Do Requ. fine Gold & Silver for assaying. Encl. P.O. Order $100

Drew in Acct of 1877.

31. From
1279 D.M. Notifying of purchase from T.O. French, NY, of oz 1,160,000 fine SB @ 118 3/4, for speedy delivery

From
1280 Do. Notifying of purchase from Nevada Bank, SF, of oz 500000 SB. @ 118 3/4, to be shipped betw. 27 Oct & 2 Nov.

From
1281. Do. Notifying of purchase from J & W Seligman & Co, NY, of oz 200,000 SB @ 116 1/2.

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31. From
1282 DM

Sec. Treas. requested to place $2,200,000 sold to credit with A.T., N.Y., to pay for CB purchased.

From
1283 Do.

Authorizing addt. for 5000, Ox Nickel and a little Tin & Zinc, for Minor Coinage.

From
1284 Do.

Make $300,000 in halves directly.

From
1285 Do.

Dexter Coiner to have 30 or 40 days leave from Nov. 1, to accompany Wells to Western Mints.

From
1286 J. C. Booth M. & D.

Supt. reports Gr. & Workings in September.

To
S. A. Bent 676
Yorktown Va.

Lump of metal is brass. Inqu. what to do with it and 60¢ sent for Postage.

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1. From
1287 D.M. Authorizing use of new D.E. design for '77 dies, after thorough test: and also auth. reduction of Centennial Award Medal.

DE.

From
1288 Do. Send monthly Statement Silver Purchases

From
1289 { R.W. Taylor, Asst. Treas. Dept., Genl. } Referring— Requesting that exhibit at Centennial remain till photographed.

From
1290 J.E. Kilgard, U.S. Coast Survey, Washington. Sends Troy lb for comparison with Mint Standard.

J. Kilgard 1291 & DM

To
D.M. 67. Monthly Examination Coin's factory. On hand $1,932,155-63/100

2 From
1291 D.M. Authorizing compliance with the written request of J.E. Kilgard for comparison of Troy standard lb.

J. Kilgard 1290

and J.E. Kilgard, Assist. Coast Survey (Telegram)

From
1292 Do Coinage Statement Oct. not rec'd.

From
1293 Do On diff.ce of wt. Q.B. from Nov. 1st 76, No. 3776, N.Y. weight to be taken, until Annual Settlement.

Kleeberein 1187, 1197 & 1285

From
1294 J. & H. Seligman & Co. N.Y. Sow Std. oz 58,919.05 @ 999 ‰. oz. 200,000 @ 116 2/9.

2.		To	
	D.M.	679	Nom. of Boutwell as Coiner, in event of Coiner's accompanying D.M. to Western Mints as desired.
		To	
	Do.	680.	Forw report Coinage October.
		To	
	T. Millhouse A.T., N.Y.	681	Notice of chk. as below.
		To	
	J & W Seligman & Co. N.Y.	682	Forw chk $46,793.65 a/c S.B. and requ. that receipts be dated.
		To	
	D.M.	683.	Forw. Requis. Nov. $49.000
	(Telegram)	Do	
	Do.	684.	Coinage Report sent this day.
		To	
	Do.	685.	Forw M & R's reports, Dept., & letter.
		To	
	Do.	686.	Forw. Mint C. Statements Oct.
3.	From		
	1295. J.E. Roop Cashier &c Chester Pa		Inquiring how to obtain Silver change.
		To	
	Same	687.	Referring to A.T.
	From		
	1296. D.M.		Returning for correction report Coinage week ending 28 Oct.
		To	
	C.E.K. Kortright & B.M. Consul Phila	688	Inquiry reserved till Supt's return. Doc. for D.M. forwarded to him.
		To	
	D.M.	689.	Forw detailed Statement of 300,000 S.D. purchased from J & W Seligman & Co.

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3		To	
	D.M.	690.	Forw. Ord & Co and Refinery & Co. Acct.
		To	
	Do.	691.	~~Forw~~ Corrected Coinage report, week ending Oct 28.
4	From	(Telegram)	
	1297.	D.M.	When will halves be coined?
	~~From~~		
	1298	Do.	Large amount $73. soon to come, sh^d be treated with dispatch. Visitors must keep out of the way. Push Coinage. Reduce no. of Adjusters.
Filed together	From		
	1299	Do.	Withdrawing order to reduce no. of Adjusters.
	~~From~~		
	1300.	Do.	Notice of purchase from J. W. Seligman & Co., CB. ~~of~~ 250,000, @ 117½.
	~~From~~		
	1301.	Do.	Coiner's written consent necessary for appt of Act^g Coiner.
	~~From~~		
	1302	Do.	Act^g M.C. reports Oct.
	From		
	1303	Nevada Bank of S.F.	Forw DB. "C", ~~of~~ 129,941.59 @ 118 3/4.
	From		
Filed in 1876.	1304	S.A. Bent Yorktown Va.	Throw away lump of brass and return 60¢.

4. To
D.M. 692. Form Coinage report week ending Nov. 4th.
To
Do. 693 Stating amt. S.B. on hand.
To
J.A. Bent 694 Lump brass thrown away, & 60 returned herewith.
Yorktown Va.
To
D.M. 695 Correcting statement SB (693)

6. From
1305 D.M. Acknl. Ord. Ofc. Oct.
From
1306 A. L. Snowden Relative to probable visit to
Coiner. Western Mints with D.M.
From
1307 Nevada Bank Form DB, "C", of 91.846 ^{80} @
S.F. 118 3/4.
From
1308 Jas W Seligman & Co Acknl. $46,793 ^{65}/$_{100}$ for SB and
NY inqu. what can be done with Kegs.
From
1309 O Robinson Inqu. what Mint would give for Gold
Sec. New So Wales Centl Com. or Specimens. Catalogue enclosed.
From
1310 R O Doremus Regn DM's Reports and address
NY of Jos Wharton.
From
1311 Sit Davis Form reduced ore for assay.
Norwood NY
From
1312 C.M. Stedman Form ore for assay, for
Floyd C.H. Va. Nickel.

6.

	To	
R. Leyman & Sons NY	696	Accepting bid for Dimes.
	To	
Ed Balbach & Son Newark	697	Declining do —
	To	
Wm A Wateer & Co NY	698	Do. do —
	To	
J & D Seligman & Co NY	699	Kegs can be returned, no use to Mint
	To	
R O Dorrance NY.	700	Forw D M's Reports and giving J. Whalen's address.
	To	
O M Stidemann Floyd C.H. Va	701	Referring to Private assayers.
	To	
S W Davis Norwood N.Y.	702	Cannot report on ore from extracted Metal. Send sample of ore.
	To	
S. Abbott Framingham Mass	703	Ore valueless.
	To	
D M	704	Nom. O C Bosbyshell Asst Coiner and Engl. Coiner's consent.
	To	
Do.	705	Enquiring how Geo Morgan, Special Engraver, is to be paid.
	To	
A Robinson Sec New Jersey Valuable Cut Com	707	Mint cannot buy Gold specimens for Cabinet but can take them as deposits for coin or bars.

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7.	From 1313	D.M.	Appn. Requis. No. 149,000.
	From 1314	Do.	Make $500,000. halves, the rest quarters, this month.
	From 1315	R. Robinson Sec New South Wales Cent Com	Will deposit Gold specimens after close Cent Exhibn
8.	From 1316	D.M.	Appn. appt. O.C. Bosbyshell acts Coiner in absence of Coiner.
	From 1317	Nevada Bank S.F.	Forw $B., "C," oz. 93,735.22 @ 118 3/4.
9.	From 1318	A.U. Wyman Treas U.S.	Notifying of S.O. #3892, $.05. from N.Y.A.C.
	From 1319	L. Von Hoffman & Co. N.Y.	Forw letter F.O. French, and shipping $.B., 241 bars, mostly 998.
Filed together	From 1320	F.O. French N.Y.	Relative to sale of $B. oz 1,160,000. @ 118 3/4. First lot & one third L. Von Hoffman & Co.
	From 1321	Nevada Bank S.F.	Forw $B., oz. 95,779.83 @ 118 3/4, "C."
	From 1322	J. Armitage Monroe, Michs	Inqu. if coins of 1798 are in circulation, and their values.
	Do	To 708	Reply to above.

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9		To	
	C. E. K. Kortright	709	Inquiry forwarded to D.M.
	A.B.M. Consul Phila.		
		To	
	D.M.	710.	Forw. letter of British Consul making inquiries on Silver question.
10.	From		
	1323 A.D.M. R. E. Preston		Part of 70 French's $ B to be deliv'd by L. Bouthoffman & C. Partial payments (75 or 80%) to be made.
	From		
	1324 Do.		Forw. approved bill G. Morgan, Special Engraver to 31 Oct— to be paid from Contingent Fund.
	From		
	1325 J. Gilfillan A.T. Washington		Mint made error in sending $5,000 1/4's for 1/2's, T.O. #3886. (Cashier's reply endorsed)
	From (Telegram)		
	1326 J.C. Acton Supt A.C. N.Y.		Supt if Mint can receive $ B. sent next day.
	From		
	1327 Do.		Forw report Assay coins Oct.
	From (Telegram)		
	1328 J. & W. Seligman & C. N.Y.		$ B. sent is @ 116 1/2.
	From		
	1329 Do.		Forw. $ B. oz. 54,844 58/100. Complaining that Mint reports @ 998 & 9, Balbach's bars, stamped 999 & holding so at N.Y. A.C.
	From		
	1330 Nevada Bank S.F.		Forw $ B., "C", oz. 41,705 18/100 @ 118 3/4.

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10	From		
	1331. A Hoskelah		Wants dies and collar made
	Toronto, Canada		for Medal. Impression enclosed.
		To	
	Do.	711	Cannot make above.
		To	
	M & R, Coiners & Assayers	712	Forw MYAO Report of Assay
		To	Coins, October
	D M	713	Requ. that Treach's bullion be p^d for
		To	only on assay & in full, not in part.
	F. O. French	715	Inqu. if S.B. has been sent and
	NY	To	requ. Statement & Price.
	D M	716	Forw 9/o $166.12 Refinery Chgs.
		To	
	J Gilfillan	717	Relative to error in sending
	A.T. Washington		$5000, 1/4's for 1/2's.
11.	From		
	1332. A D M		Asks. letter from British
	R E Preston		Consul on Silver question.
	From		
	1333. Do.		Ad Ag & Refinery Ag/c Oct,
			referred.
	From		
	1334. Do.		Ordering dies for Carson, 1877.
	From		
	1335 A. L. Snowden		Forw 2 half dollars struck from
	Coiner.		dies tested and sent to S.F.
	From (Telegram)		
	1336 F O French		S B sent on 9th inst.
	NY		
	From (Telegram)		No. of Registered letter with
	1337 Do		invoice of S.B. mailed 8th.

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11.	From		
	1338	Nevada Bank S.F.	Tow. S.B., C.C., oz. 44,088.13 @ 118½.
		To	
	D.W.	718.	Tow Report Coinage week ending 11th
		To	
	W. Barber Engraver	719	Ordering dies for Carson, 1877.
		To	
	T.O. French N.Y.	720	Acknr. SB., 241 barz. letter rec'd late on 10th, Will send chks on Mint assay.
		To	
	R. Longman & Sons N.Y.	721	Calling attention to letter of 6th.
	(Telegram)	To	
	T.O. French N.Y.	722	Bars + Statement rec'd.
13.	From		
	1339	A.D.M. & R.S. Preston	Acknr. D/D $166.19 Refinery Charges
	From		
	1340	Do	Permission to pay T.O. French in full on assay, if precedence is given
	From		
	1341	J.M. Floyd Actg Supt A.O.N.Y.	Tow. SB. oz. 170,795.41 on I.O. #3892.
	From		
	1342	A. Schwarzen Coiner	Requ. Permission & set up Coining Press of 1836, for Venezuelan Coinage. (Supt's permission endorsed.)

13.

From (Telegram)
1343 F. O. French
NY
Wants immediately 80% of invoice value $B.

From (Telegram)
1344 L Von Hoffman & Co
NY
No returns for $B rec'd. Notice of further shipments.

From
1345. Do.
Forw copy letter 8th with statement of 241 bars. Notice of 238 bars to go 13th.

From
1346 J Althorn
Brandon Mass
Offering Continental bill $800 of 1775.

From
1347 H G Hunt
Suffolk Mass
Wants $1000. D.E. exchanged for smaller gold.

From (Telegram)
1348 J H Fuller
Boston
How soon can $25,000. gold be coined?

To
ADM 723
R E Preston
Forw. 2 pairs ½ dol. dies for $7. tested here and Coiner's letter and 2 specimens.

To
F. O. French 725
NY
Will send Von Hoffman & Co. chk. 80% $B. same day

To
ADM 726
Regn. instructions relative to dies for Carson.

(L.B. 727 & 729 Cancelled.)

To
Knickerbocker Iced. Phila. 730
Stop delivery ice to M & K & C. Dept's—

To
L Von Hoffman & Co
NY 731
Forw chk $237.000— % $B.

728. Ca vow.

13. To

Hillhouse A. T., NY — 732. Notice of chks. a/c S.B. — $68, 539.87 J. & W. Seligman & Co $237,000 — L. Von Hoffman & Co.

To

J. & W. Seligman & Co NY. — 738 Form chk as above

14. From

1349 A.D.M. — Form for examination & return, counterfeit ½ dollar 1875 (type-metal)

From

1350 J. & W. Seligman & Co NY. — No returns rec'd for NB sent 1st. Complaining of low assay and delay at Mint.

From

1351 L. Von Hoffman & Co. NY. — Form 2d shipment S.B. 238 bars. No reply rec'd to letter 8th — etc. (Form. the below —)

From

1352 F. O. French NY. — Notice shipment on 13th NB. 250,000 @ 118 3/4. Requ- payment of 80% to L. Von H. & Co.

From

1353 L. Von Hoffman & Co NY. — Notice 3d shipment 245 bars, NB, to be made 14th, in 2 lots, to be reported separately.

From

1354. R. Longman's Sons NY — Form $3413.27 for sweeps.

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14.		To	
	L Von Hoffman & Co N.Y.	733.	Ackn. 338 bars QB. & forw chk $247.000. on 9/c. Will make returns as fast as official responsibility permits.
		To	
	J & W Seligman & Co N.Y.	735.	Correcting error in letter 13th inst. weight 2606 "fine" not "standard" oz. Will make returns as fast as possible.
		To	
	J Hillhouse A.T., N.Y.	737	Notice of chk L Von Hoffman & Co $247.000.
		To	
	D.M.	738.	Report on type metal off. 1/2 dol. 1875. Light, but very dangerous.
15.	From 1355 A.D.M. R E Preston		Ackn. receipt N & Co. box with dies for U.S. & Coiner's letter & specimens, for which Supt U.S. will remit.
	From 1356 A.A. Wyman Treas U.S.		Forw duft $49.000 requis. for Nov.
Filed in 1358	From 1357 J & W Seligman & Co N.Y.		Ackn chk $68,539.29/c QB Renewing complaints of low assay.
Filed herein 1350, 1357.	From 1358 W E DuBois Assayer		Reply to Seligmans' complaints of low assay.
	From 1359 L Von Hoffman & Co N.Y.		Forw 3d shipment QB, 245 bars. Ackn. chk. $237,000. Relative to terms of payment.

15.

To
Von Hoffman & Co 729 — Forw chk $250,000 a/c 245 bars S.B. Will make full returns as fast as possible.
NY

To
A.T. 741 — Notice of above chk.
N.Y.

To
D.M. 742 — Forw bills against Cassers by Wm Kolzer & Miller & Kripps.

To
J W Pollock 743 — Referring to A.T. for Silver Change.
Shamokin Pa.

16.

From
1360 { A L Snowden Coiner / W Barber Engraver — Test of new DE dies & manufactory — Use for 1877 coinage ordered —
Entered by Dept.

D.E.

From
1361 A L Snowden Coiner — Requ. attention to nominations made 26 Dept.

From
1362 D & W Seligman & Co N.Y. — Ack'g letter "15 cts" Notice of shipment S.B. oz. 50, 162 65/100 @ 116 1/2

From
1363 Von Hoffman & Co N.Y. — Ack'g $247.000 a/c S.B. Forw. 4th invoice, 253 bars, in 5 lots.

From
1364 J E Francis NY — Inqu. about $30. in 3¢ silver sent by A. Ex. Aug 30th. (Express agent's endorsement hereon)

From
1365 J & E Doan Wilmington O — Desires views on working and selling argentiferous copper ore in Texas.

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16. From 1366 R Downey Milwaukee Wis — Inqu. how many cents are given for 100 lbs Copper.

From 1367 G T Thomas Buffalo N.Y. — Offers lot of old Copper cents.

To R E Doan Wilmington O 744 — Referring to dealers in Copper.

To Vonkoffman & Co N.Y. 745 — Forw. chk $59,090.35 in full for 1st shipment Pb.

To J Hillhouse A.T. NY 746 — Notice of above chk.

To J & Francis NY 747 — Neither Mint nor Exp. agt. has any knowledge of 3¢ silver cent.

17 From 1368 A D M R E Preston — Instructions about dies ordered for Carson.

From 1369 Do — Bills against O. and S.F. Mints approved.

From 1370 J C Booth M & R — Forw. reports Gr. Smelting, Oct.

From 1371 Lunkoffman & Co NY — Ackn. chk. $250,000 Yc Pb. Another lot sent 15th.

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17	From		
	1372. P. J. Brady Tuscaloosa Ala.		Desgn. if he can get $1100. in Silver for $1000. Greenbacks.
		To	
	J. W. Seligman & Co N.Y.	748	Treas. Assayer's reply to complaints of low assay.
Letter Book No. 17.		To	
	P. J. Brady Tuscaloosa Ala.	1	Treas. U.S. exchanges Silver for legal tenders at par only.
		To	
	D.M.	2.	New D.E. dies tested and approved for use in 1877 coinage.
		To	
	Vonhoffman & Co N.Y.	4	Asks DB 253 bars & forw chk $240,000. on S.C. Registering letter occasions delay.
		To	
	T. Hillhouse A.T., NY	5.	Notice of above chk.
		To	
	A. U. Wyman Treas. U.S.	6	Requ. T.O. $26,000. Minor C. reissued.
18.	From		
	1373 N. E. Davis A.T., Cincinnati		Requ. T.O. # 3795 for $50,000 filled & Cashier's Endorsement. Order not received.
	From		
	1374 Vonhoffman & Co N.Y.		Asks. chk. $59,090 $\frac{85}{100}$ bal. on 1st invoice D.B.
	From		
	1375 J. H. Leon NY		Making inquiries about Coining. (Not to be answered.)

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18. To

D.M. 7 Forw report Coinage week ending 18th

To

W E Davis 8 P.O. #3795 not received.
A.T., Cincinnati

To

D.M. 9 Forw M×R's reports, Oct, and letter.

20. From

1376 L Von Hoffman & Co 9 Acct Chk $240,000 a/c O.B.
N.Y. Will not register Statements hereafter.

From (Telegram)

1377 J E Kilgard 10 Is Mr Love at Mint?
U.S. Coast Survey Station

(Telegram) To

Do. 10 Yes!

To

D M 11 Forw requis for Stationery, with request for speedy attention, and good quality.

To

J Crawford 12 Forw Sft. rec. box pipettes. Bill
Supt Mint Carson $33. sent to D.M.

To

D M 13 Regn Dft $500. gold a/c Refinery Expenses.

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21.	From (Telegram)		
	1378 A.D.M. R.E. Preston		Inqu why paym't to Nevada Bank is delayed.
	From		
	1379 Armstrong & Co Phila.		Want $500 T.D.
		To	
	Do.	14	T.D. Coinage suspended,
22	(Telegram)	To	
	A.D.M.	15	Immense amt received at once causes delay in payment for Ch.
	From (Telegram)		
	1380 — Do —		D.M. telegraphs for immediate paym't to Nevada Bank, say 80% - Large purchases made.
	From		
	1381. Do —		Notice of purchase from J.W. Seligman & Co. of 50,000 Ch @ 117½
	From		
	1382 Do.		Requis. for Stationery referred
	From		
	1383 Do.		$500. gold will be sent for Refinery Expenses.
	From		
	1384 Do.		Mate $250,000 @ $300,000 — in quarters as soon as possible.
	From		
	1385 C.W. Goddard P.M. Portland Me.		Inqu about redemption of 3¢ Silver.

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22.		To	
	Cashier	16	Deliver to M & R certain Minor Coins for recoinage.
		To	
	T. Hillhouse A.T., N.Y.	17	Notice of checks $60,742.08 L. Von Hoffman & Co., and $378,389.43 Bank of N.Y.
		To	
	Von Hoffman & Co N.Y.	18	Forw above chk $60,742.08 a/c O.B., - in full for 238 bars.
		To	
	Cashier, Bank of N.Y. N.Y.	19	Forw chk $378,389.43 a/c O.B. from Nevada Bank N.Y.
		To	
	A.D.M.	20	Requ. delay in delivery of ~~O.B.~~ O.B. 50,000 from Seligmans, till there is more room. 114 tons S.B. rec'd this month, and Minor Coins coming in for redemption
		To	
	A.M. Wyman Treas U.S.	23	Requ T.O. $6220. Minor Coins recoined.
		To	
	Bank of N.Y. N.Y.	24	Forw chk $215,643.45 a/c O.B. from Nevada Bank.
		To	
	T. Hillhouse A.T. N.Y.	25	Notice of above chk.

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23	From		
1886	C F Conant		Inqu period covered by requis.
	Asst Sec Treas		for Stationery, Articles furnished
			but of American make
	From		
1887	A D W		Wants vouchers for paym'ts to
	R E Preston		E Kelly & Co and Laidlaw & Co.
			for Bullion, 2nd qu. 1876.
		To	
	Laidlaw & Co	26	Forw duplicate voucher, paym't
	NY		for C.B., for Treas Dept - to be
			signed & returned.
		To	
	E Kelly & Co	27	Do — do —
	NY		
		To	
	P Handy	28	Do — do —
	NY		
		To	
	Bank of NY	29	Do — do —
	NY		
		To	
	L Vonhoffman & Co	30	Do — do —
	NY		
		To	
	J & W Seligman & Co	31	Do — do —
	NY		Forw chk # 122, 181 $\frac{59}{100}$ a/c S.B.
		To	
	A. T., NY	32	Notice of above chk

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24.	From (Telegram) 1388 DM S.F.	Ordering 6 obs TD dies, Forw. dies '77 before onset blockade.
	From 1389 ADM R B Preston	SB. from NYAO and Seligmans will be held back.
	From 1390 Do.	Forw letter from Seligmans, mis sent.
	From 1391 J & W Seligman & C NY.	Forw RB. oz. 142,571 21/100 part @ 116½ + part @ 117½. Requ about refining charges. No returns recd for shipment of Nov 9. (Filed herein mem. of Auayu & M & R on refining charges.)
	From 1392 L Von Hoffman & Co NY	Advs $160,742.08 a/c SB.
	From 1393 R B Ferris Cash. Bank of NY NY.	Advs. checks $378,389 43/100 and $215,645 42/100 a/c SB from Nevada BK. Requ. details of "C" and "C.I." separate.
	From 1394 J S Campbell Hamilton O	Forw counterfeit 50¢.
	To 23 R B Ferris Cash. BK. of NY.	Giving details value of "C" and "CI" SB from Nevada Bank.
	To 24 C F Conant Asst. Rec. Treas.	If requis. is to be limited to remainder of current Govts, (Stationery) – requ. it shall to be replaced by another for that period and one for the next Govts –

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	To	
J & W Seligman & Co NY.	35	Note. Statement DB 03,142,571 12/12 from DUM., account to Washington. Refining charges must be made. but will probably be small.
	To	
L Von Hoffman & Co NY.	36	Form chk $62,327.09 in full for DB 245 bars.
	To	
A.T. NY	37	Notice of above chk,
	To	
J E Campbell Hamilton O		509 piece ~~bank~~, is counterfeit.

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From 1395	A D U M R E Preston	Inqu if bal. at A.T. NY. will cover DB Purchases, and if gold coin could be sent there from Mint. (Mem of Cash. + BK keeper herein)
From 1396	A U Wyman Treas U S	Form dft $500 gold Refinery Exp. (Cashier's receipt endorsed)
From 1397	A L Snowden Coiner	Recom. acceptance of offer of J Oat & Son, to take old uncap copper and give new.
From 1398	J C Abbott Coll Wilmington N C	Form $45 light gold for recoinage
From 1399	E Kelly & Co NY	Form duplicate receipts, DB from Nevada Bank.
From 1400	A Kondy NY	Form dupl. receipts, of SB sold in August. & NB. Letter unsealed + two receipt therein & Sec 39, 44.

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25 From
1401 L. Von Hoffman & Co NY — Ackn chks for $B, sent 23rd.

From
1402 J. & W. Seligman & Co NY — Ackn $122,181.39 for $B.

From
1408 S. Hyman Chicago — Wants $, dep paid for in subs, Silver instead of Gold.

To
Blandy NY 39 — Letter was unsealed and contained no receipt (1400)

To
DM 40 — Form report Coinage week ending 25th.

To
S. Hyman 41 — Cannot give Rules, Silver.

To
ADM R. E. Preston 42 — Form dupl receipts E. Kelly & Co and Laidlaw & Co, payments for $, B.

(Telegram) To
DM S.F. 43 — H.M. send 6 obv 1D dies Monday

27 From
1404 ADM R. E. Preston — When will quarters be coined?

From
1405 W. E. DuBois Assayer — Noting certain bars $B from Seligmans, assayed higher than stamps.

27 From
1406 A L Snowden Coiner — Reporting resignation of Miss Mw Chambers, Adjuster, Dec 1.

From
1407 Lloyd Hoffman & Co N.Y. — Asks chk $62,327.49. Forw invoice RB of. 144,516.90 Dwgo 27th, last shipment @ 118 3/4.

To
B Caudy NY 44 — Asks dupl receipt, which had been sent to DM.

To
A Dall R E Preston 45 — Dall did not approve of sending gold coin to N.Y. Mint needs all the D.E. it has, but has a large amount of smaller coin. Bal. at A T NY shd be increased to meet payments.

To
O H Lafrantz Supt Mint SF. 48 — Forw 6 obv TD dies.

28 From
1408 O F Conant Asst. Sec. Treas. — Stationery requis. shd cover calendar half years. If present requis. does not cover remainder of current 6 mo. send another for bal. of fiscal year

From
1409 A Dall R E Preston — Asks dupl. receipts E Kelly & Co & Laidlaw & Co, Pagmts for DB. Bullion A/c 2d qr '76, referred.

From
1410 T C Acton Supt U.S. N.Y. — Requ. $35,000 in small gold coin of various denominations

28	From		
	1411	J Crawford Supt Mint Carson	Requ certain supplies.
Filed in 14002 Same	From		
	1412	D Handy NY	Rec. may have been misent to A.D.M.
	From		
	1413	M A Briggs Eau Claire Wis	Inqu if Y. dep. had been made by R R Kinnon.
		30	
	D W	49	Subm. appt J D Viney, Gen Dept. @ $2 7/0 (temporarily) Dec 4.
		30	
	T Cachow Supt A.O. NY	50	Can send $25,000 assorted gold as desired.
		30	
	A U Wyman St Treas U.S.	51	Notice of T.O. #3952 recd, but T.O. not being in A. Dy. office, cannot be filled as desired.
		30	
	M A Briggs Eau Claire Wis	52	No record of any deposit by or for R. R. Kinnon.
		30	
	Von Hoffman & Co NY.	53	Forw Chks, $ 61,037.29 in full for 253 bars & $130,000 on a/c for 146 bars, D.B.
		20	
	A T, NY	54	Notice of above checks.
		20	
	D.W.	55	Rep. Govs. dies for 1877 to S.F. Encl. note from Engraver, and requ that all old D E dies be destroyed, both obv. & rev. of new ones being of new designs.

29 Filed in 1435.	From 1414	J & W Seligman & Co NY	Requ. Mint to receive Silver disk from Mexican Dollar Com, for sale @ 117½.
	(Telegram)	To	
		Do. 58	Cannot receive disk unless cut up.
Filed in 1435.	From 1415	Do.	Requ that disk be cut up at their expense.
		To	
		D.M. 59	$400,000. due on Silver Profits— Requ. issue of T.O. and C/D. to cover this amount.
		To	
		Do— 60	Forw report Coinage month of November.
		To	
		Do— 61	Forw Statement NB oz 500,000 from Nevada Bank, this month.
		To	
	J & W Seligman & Co. NY.	62	Repeating telegm. that Mint cannot receive disk unless cut up & can not cut it up at Mint.
	(Telegram)	To	
		Do. 63	Mint cannot cut up disk.
30	From 1416	A.D.W. R E Preston	Appn. temporary appt. J.D. Sinex Genl Dept.
	From 1417	H C Eaton Supt Nyack	Requ. $35,000. assorted Gold coin, sent.
Filed in 1435.	From 1418	J & W Seligman & Co NY	Requ. Mint to receive Mexican Silver disk, about 4,500 lbs—
	From 1419	J & W Seligman & Co NY.	Acknowldgs for NB $61,037.72 and $130000.

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1	From		
	1420	A D M R E Preston	Requ. by telg. amt. subs. Silver Coinage, Nov.
	From		
	1421	T Haven Jr A T Boston	Forw $3657- accounts Silver coin.
Filed in 1435.	From		
	1422	J & W Seligman & Co N.Y.	Requ that Silver disk be cut up by workmen after hours, at their Expense.
		To	
	D.M.	64	Monthly Examination Nov 29th Satisfactory. On hand $2,038,398 24/100
		66	Statement M & R's Copper a/c. 3rd qu. 1876. (alloy.)
		To	
	D.M.	67	Forw Refinery a/c. Nov.
		To	
	A L Snowden Coiner	68	Ordering 6 bbl. Sawdust procured for Carson.
Filed in 1435. 2.	From		
	1423	A D M R E Preston	J & W Seligman & Co will deliver Silver disk, to be cut up at their expense.
	From		
	1424	J Gilfillan A.T., Washington	Advn. $30,000. Silver Coin I.O. #3952.
	From		
	1425	Jno F Floyd Asst Supt Assay	Forw report Assay Coins No.

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From
1426 N. Mayer
Merch. Nat. Bk, St. Paul, Minn — Inqu. value light gold coin and Black Hills gold average. (Assayer's reply filed herein)

From
1427 A R Scott
Mortonville, Pa — Wants specimen Bicknell International Coin.

	To	
D. M.	70	To W report Coinage week ending 2nd.
	To	
Assayer Coiner & Mo R.	71	N.Y. A.O. report Assay Coins Nov.
	To	
D M	72	To W Requis Dec. $49,000.
	To	
A R Scott Mortonville Pa.	73	Cannot furnish "Bicknell Int. Coin."
	To	
J & W Seligman & Co N.Y.	74	To W chk $166,787.06 for N.B. Calling attention to instances where Mint assays exceed invoice.
	To	
J Hillhouse A T N.Y.	76	Notice of above chk.
	To	
A D M R E Preston	77	Cannot receive Seligmans' disk unless cut up. Stating reasons.
	To	
D M	79	To W Minor Coinage statements, November.
	To	
J C Abbott Colle Wilmington NC	80	To W D $144.65 light gold received.

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From

1428 A.D.M. / R.E. Preston — Acku. Refinery Ap. Nov.

From

1429 A.U. Wyman / Treas. U.S. — Notice of T.O. #3964, $1 B from NYA&C

From

1430 J. Gilfillan / A.T., Washington — Forw T.O. & T.O. Nov 29, $400,000 Silver Profits to B.T.

From

1431 Do. — Acku $30,000. Silver Coin

From

1432 Walker Bro's / Salt Lake City U.T. — Inqu. how to obtain change.

From

1433 C. Freeman / Phila. — Introd. J.D. Sinex.

To

D.M. 81 — Forw oath J.D. Sinex Gen Dept.

To

Wm Hoffman & Co / N.Y. 82 — Forw chk $41,192.29/100 in full for R.B.

To

A.T., N.Y. 83 — Notice of above chk.

To

A.U. Wyman / Treas U.S. 84 — Returning T.O. $400,000. Silver transf. to B.T. from R. Profits on 29. Requ. that Orders be in sums of $50,000. only.

To

D.M. 86 — Rep. forw. dies to Carson. Remarks on improved D.E. dies.

To

H. Mann / St Paul Minn 88 — Reply to inquiries about value of light coin & Blk Hills sold.

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From	(Telegram)	
1434	A.D.M. R. E. Preston	Bought oz 250,000 S.B. of Seligmans @ 117½
From		
1435	Do.	Have notified Seligmans, S. disk cannot be cut at Mint.
From		
1436	Do.	Requis. DEC. approved @ $49,000
From		
1437	Do.	Refinery Gr. Nos. referred.
From		
1438	Do.	Acku. Mint C. reports Nov.
From		
1439	A. L. Snowden Coiner	Nom. Miss M. C. Murphy Adjuster Per request this Treas. Dept.
From		
1440	J. & W. Seligman & Co N.Y.	Acku. chk. $166,787.06, for S.B. Notice of shipment oz. 73,543.89 S.B. @ 117½. A.D.M. telegraphs Mint will cut disk.

(Telegram) To

A.D.M. R. E. Preston	89	Shall Mint receive S.B. sent by Seligmans? No notice of purchase.
To		
Do.	90	N.Y. balance reduced to $27,282.36 Repeating above inquiry.
To		
Nevada Bank S.F.	91	Form Statement of 500,000 S.B. Purchased.
To		
D.M.	92	Sisbee increase P.d. H.B.M. Sykes, M & R Dept, to $5.00 Dec 1st.
To		
D. Davis U.S. Supreme Court	93	Informing of above increase.

Filed herein 1414, 1415, 1418, 1423, 1440, 1436.

Filed herein 1435.

6.

From
1441. A D W
R E Preston
A&M. oath J W Siney, Gen. Dept.

From
1442 N M Hyman
Treas U.S.
A&M T.O. #3962. Deposited $400,000 Silver Profits in one sum, to appear in Nov. a/c + will observe request as to limit of $50,000.

From
1443 T A Acton
Supt A.D. NY
From Statement SB on T.O. #3964.

From
1444 J Oyster
A.T., Phila.
From letter J Hurkamp & Co. enclosed to A.T.

From
1445 J Hurkamp & Co
Charleston S.C.
From chk $40 to get Silver change (Chk returned Dec 7th)

From
Filed in 1436.
1446 J. Cuyas
Phila.
Inqu when Mint can receive Pieces of Deligmans Silver disk.

From
1447 Von Hoffman & Co
N.Y.
A&M chk $41,192.89 a/c S.B.

To
D.M. 94 Subm. appt. Miss M A Murphy adjustr.

To
J L Goucher 95 Reply to inquiries about old coins.
Findlay, O.

To
D.M. 96 From a/c $896.29 Refinery Charges.

To
A.D.W. 97 Requ. supply D.M.'s Report
R E Preston for distribution.

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From (Telegram)
1448 A D M
R E Preston
Comptroller will not appr. Requis. till Nov. Gr. is recd.

From
1449 Do.
$350,000. sold credited with A. T., N.Y.

From
1450 Do.
Forw copy letter 3 Nov. notifying of purchase from Seligmans of 200,000 SB @ 117½.

From
1451 Do.
Appr. increase p.d. H.W. Sykes, Mint Dept.

From (Telegram)
1452 J. McFloyd
Clerk Supt AO NY
Inqu if Mint will receive 11,000 Gold.

From
1453 O. H. Lagrange
Supt Mint S.F.
Forw. 2 half dollars for Coins in Exchange for same sent.

From
1454 J. Wagner, Treas.
Coshocton, O.
Inqu. how to get Silver Change.

From
1455 W. McTaggart
Woodstock, Canada
Inqu. chge. for assaying ores.

To
A D M 98
R E Preston
Advs. letter notifying of purchase SB from Seligmans.

To
J. Kerrkamp & Co 99
Charleston S.C.
Returning dft $40— The Mint does not furnish Silver change.

To
D M 100
Forw GD $327.59 Refinery Charges.

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7		To	
	A D U R E Preston	101	Ltr. Nov. will be sent in a few days.
8.	From		
	1456 A D U R E Preston		Appr. appt. Wm McMurphy Adjuster.
	From		
	1457 Do		Acku. Ltr 8 $96.29 Refinery Charges.
	From		
	1458 A U Wyman Treas U.S.		Notice of T.O. # 3988, credit of $350,000. sold at N.Y., N.Y.
	From		
	1459 Do		Notice of T.O. # 3989, $ to from A.O. of N.Y.
	From		
	1460 A D U R E Preston		Requ. descriptive list of Mint exhibit at Centennial.
	From		
	1461 J C Abbott Cor Wilmington NC		Acku Ltr 8 Lightfold recd.
	From		
	1462 A F Atkinson Rochester N.Y.		Inqu. about depositing S.B. and obtaining returns.
	From		
	1463 J J White NY		Offering to furnish Specie Kegs.

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To
A F Atkinson 102 — Stating mode of paying for $'s deposited.
Rochester N.Y.

To
A D M 103 — Forw. Ord. Apc. Nov.
R E Preston

9. From
1464 A D M — Acknl/g $327.52 Refinery Charges.
R E Preston

From
1465 T. C. Acton — Acknl. $174.192.67 Gold Inv. $32. Thanks for assorted Sld. Inqu. if 3 or 4 melts Gold can be read & paid this month,
Supt. Ap's N.Y.

Filed together

From
1466 J C Booth — Can deliver above Gold to Comer 3 days after receipt.
M & R

From
1467 D C Baker — Forw. for examination pattern token "Vox populi - Virginia - 1700".
Minneapolis Minn

From
1468 M Dewey — Inqu. to what extent the Metric system is used in the Mint.
Boston Mass

To
D. M. 104 — Forw report Coinage week ending 9th.

To
Miss M A Murphy 105 — Notice of appt. as Adjuster.
Phila.

To
S H McTaggart 106 — Stating terms for assays of ore.
Woodstock Ont.

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To

J C Acton 107 Cannot say if Gold can be used
Supt A.O. N.Y. till weight is stated.

To

M Dewey 108 Reply to inquiry about use of
Boston metric system in Mint.

11 From

1469. A.D.M. Aston. Acd. Ofc. Nov.
R E Preston

From

1470. Do- Requis. Dec. reduced to
$40,000.

From

1471 R.H. Taylor Acd Ofc 3rd qu 1876 adjusted.
1st Comptroller Noting mis-spellings in name
Jno Dripenderfer, Q Dept.

To

D.M. 111 Forw. oath M.C. Murphy, Q.
Dept.

To

S.M. Morrill 112 Requ. 50 blank pay rolls.
Sec. Treas.

To

W. Edge 113 Cannot give information
about jewelry alloys.

To

D.M. 114 Forw Bullion & Coinage
Ofcs 3rd qu. 1876.

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12 From
1472 C. Conant
Asst. Rec. Treas.
Inqu. if requis. for Stationery covers period ending 30 June 1877.

From
1473 A.D.M.
R. E. Preston
Acknd $/D $1425 — Medal Profits.

From
1474 J.N. Floyd
Actg Supt A.D.M.
Forw $ Bm T.O. # 3989

To
W. L. Baker 115
Minneapolis Minn
Returning Hibernia, 1700 coin

To
Crawford 116
Supt Mint Carson
Forw bbl. sawdust, and relative to other supplies ordered.

To
D.M. 118.
Requ. permission to buy 3 gold coins of Costa Rica.

13 From
1475 A.D.M.
R. E. Preston
Forw instructions from Asst. Rec. Treas. to send to Dep't. orders and remittances for Minor Coins, to be filled by various N.T.'s.

From
1476. Do —
Acknd. Bullion A/c. 3rd qu. 1876.

From
1477 A.L. Snowden
Coiner
Forw. resignations for transmittal to the President.

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13 From
1478 J. Gilfillan, Asst Washington — Asks $30,000. Rubs. Silver. J.O. # 3992.

From
1479 Burr & Bates, Hillsboughby, O. — Sends 3¢ nickel for examination.

From
1480 W. Hardwell, Boston — Requ history of legend "In God we trust."

To
A.D.M. 119 — R.E. Preston — Asks order to forward Mint Coinage orders & dfts.

To
Do. 121. — Sends M.O. order & dft $450— Bowery S.T. Bank N.Y.

To
Burr & Bates, Hillsboughby O. 122 — Nickel genuine but damaged.

From
W. E. DuBois, Assayer 123 — Four gold Coins of James I and Charles I offered for $50—

To
D.M. 124 — Sends above letter Assayer and requ leave to purchase said coins.

To
A.D.M. 125 — R.E. Preston — Sends resignation A.L. Snowden, Coiner.

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14 From
1481 A L Snowden Coiner — Recom. discharge of T. Christy, Roller, and appt. F. H. Coles.

From
1482 F. Haven Jr A.T., Boston — Inqu if $3657 Silver sent Nov. 29, has been received.

From
1483 J & W Seligman & Co N.Y. — Inqu. amt fine Silver in disc, and refining charges thereon.

To
ADM 126 — Forw order & dft. Minor C. $1000.
R E Preston — 1st Nat Bk. Chicago.

To
L M Morrill 127 — Forw. requis. Stationery, 6 mo. ending 30 June 1877, with samples.
Sec of Treas

To
J & W Seligman & Co 128 — Forw. chk. $154,330 58/100 for bars & disk, and relative to weight &c. of disk. Forw Assayer's letter.
N.Y.

From
A E DuBois 130 — Relative to assay of Mexican disk, and charges thereon.
Assayer

To
A.T., N.Y. 131. — Notice of above chk. to Seligmans.

14 From
1483½ ADM — Authorizing purchase of coins
R E Preston — of Costa Rica for Cabinet @ $14. Sold

15 From
1484½ Do — Authorizing purchase of coins of Gt Britain for Cabinet @ $50. Currency.

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From
1484 A.D.M.C. R.E. Preston — Resignation of A.L. Snowden, Coiner, rec'd and handed to Sec.

From
1485 Do. — Acks order + dft $1450. Minor Coin, Bowery S.B., N.Y.

From
1486 Do. — Inqu. amount S.B. yet to come from Seligmans.

From
1487 O.H. LaGrange Supt Mint S.F. — Acks. 6 obv. T.D. dies.

From
1488 J. Gilfillan A.T. Washington — Acks $20,000. Silver coin, TO #4011.

From
1489 L. Coster, Sons & Co Columbus O — Inqu. how to dispose of 3¢ Silver.

From
1490 Lamb-Byng & Co Clinton Iowa — Forw quarter for examination.

To
A.D.M.C. R.E. Preston 132 — Amt S.B. to come from Seligmans about ~~6~~ 60,000.

To
Lamb Byng & Co Clinton Iowa 133 — Coin genuine but cracked. ~~Forw~~ perfect coin.

To
A.D.M.C. R.E. Preston 134 — Notice rec'd from A.T. Boston of $1,999 – Minor Coin sent for redemptions Inqu. if shipments are to be received from A.T.'s (see Sec's Instructions 1475.)

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15		To		
	F. Haven Jr A.T., Boston	136		Acku $365 J - silver coin, sent Nov. 29th.
16	From			
	1491	ADM R E Preston		Acku order + dft $1000. N.C. from 1st Nat BK Chicago.
	From			
	1492	A U Wyman Treas U.S.		Forw dft $40,000 Reqnts. for December.
	From			
	1493	Do.		Notice of T.O.# 4018, RB from AO. N.Y.
	From			
	1494	A L Snowden Coiner		Recom. discharge of T. Christy, Roller.
	From			
	1495	J. W Seligman + Co N.Y.		Acku. chk. $154,330 58/100
		To		
	T. Christy & Dept.	137		Notice of discharge.
		To		
	ADM R E Preston	138		Notice of above and subm. appt. F. K. Coles to fill vacancy,
		To		
	Do	139		Forw bill R A W McClure coins for Cabinet, $65 42/100
		To		
	D M	140		Forw. report Coinage, week ending 16th.

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18.	From		
Filed in 1475.	1496	A.D.M. R. E. Preston	$1,999- Minor Coin from A.T., Boston is unfit for circulation, or to be withdrawn. Only such will be sent from A.T. B.
	From 1497	Do.	Treas. U.S. wants $200,000. in halves made this month.
	From 1498	Do.	Returning order & dft $1000 M Coin set nat Bk Chicago, to be filled by Mint.
	From 1499	Do.	Advance of $700. sold Refinery Co, has been requested.
	From 1500.	Do.	Acs of A.L. Snowden, Coiner, to be settled on retirement at end of quarter.
	From 1501	A.L. Snowden Coiner	Announcing death of George Harvell, foreman of the Cutters.
		To	
	A.D.M. R. E. Preston	141	Acknl. order to make $200,000- in halves.
		To	
	Do.	142	Forw. descriptive list Mint Exhibit at Centennial.

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19 From
1502 A DM
R E Preston
Inform DM if moulds for Bars are needed, as Dr Bonzano has 9 doz.

From
1503 Do
Bill R A McClure, coins for Cabinet, appd & referred.

From
1504 Do
Appn. appt. F. H. Coles, C. Dept, vice T. Christy, removed.

From
1505 H Painter
Baltimore
Not to be answered.
Inqu about diameter of coins from different Mints.
(Mem. of Asst Coiner filed herein)

To
F H Coles
Phila.
143
Notice of appt. C Dept.

To
A DM
R E Preston
144
Form for approval, contract with J. Dallett & Co for Venezuelan coinage.

To
Do
145
Form Statement of Redemption Clerk, showing that 9/10 of the Minor C- from AT Boston were for reissue, and many pkgs. not counted, &c.

From
147
J C Eyster
Redemption Clerk
Statement as above.

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From
1506 ADW
R E Preston
Acknd Descr List Mint Exhibit at Centennial.

From
1507 J Gilfillan
T. Washington
Acknd $30,000 Silver coin, T.O. #4022.

From
1508 T Acton
Supt CC Nev
Forw C.B., T.O. #4018.

From
1509 J C Booth
M & R
Recom. procuring a few casks Black Lead Crucibles from J Dixon & Co and Straw Wile & Co, & most from R Taylor & Co.

From
1510 Geo E Taylor
Ramsey Ill
Forw mineral for examination. (Mem by Assayer)

From
1511 W B Tisdale
NY
Inqu about ores (coins etc

To
Same 148
Reply to above.

To
Geo E Taylor 149
Ramsey Ill
Mineral is Mica & pyrites.

To
DW 150
Forw oath F K Coler, C Dept.

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21	From		
	1512	A D W R E Preston	Contract for Venezuelan Coinage read and will be acted on —
	From		
	1513	A M Wyman Teasurer U S	Notice of T.O. #4043, O B from Co, N.Y.
	From		
	1514	Do.	Forw J. H. K. $10— for 1st pieces to be sent to 10 Burnham N.Y.
	From		
	1515	J P Jones Reads Landing, Minn.	Inqu price of Quarter Eagles.
		To	
		Same 151	Proofs sold only in sets.
		To	
		A D W R E Preston 152	Notice of death Geo Hansell, and subm. various changes in C Dept.
		To	
		Do. 154	Rep. forw. certain dies for 1877 to S.F., in full of order C.C. 12—
22	From		
	1516	A M Wyman Teasurer U S	Forw Dft $700. gold, Refinery Expenses.
		To	
		A D W R E Preston 155	Rep. forw. dies 1877 to Carson.
		To	
		D W 156	Forw C/D $17.50, old material sold.
		To	
		A D W R E Preston 157	Forw C/D $165.11 gold, Refinery charges.

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	To	
A Allyman Treasurer US	158	Rep. forw. $10. in 1's to W Burnham N.Y.

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From		
1517	DM	Appr. various changes in C, Dept.
From		
1518	Do.	Advn. oath ~~F K Coles~~ C. Dept.
From		
1519	A Allyman Treasurer US	Notice of T.O. #4050, C B from AO NY
From		
1520	J Gilfillan A.T., Washington	Advn $20,000. Subs silver, T.O. #4033.

	To	
Knickerbocker Safe Co Phila	159	Order to reduce delivery to 60 lbs.
	To	
DM	160	Approximate amount $ B on hand $1,000,000.
	To	
Do.	161	Forw Report Coinage, week ending 23d.

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From
1521 DM — Requ. statement expense Venezuelan coinage, to consider in fixing charge.

From
1522 Do. — Asks. $/D. $1.65 and $1.75

From
1523 Do. — Forw $75. Spanish & Mexican dollars. Assayer to select & return 4 ors as specimens; rest to be bought @ $1.11½

From
1524 J. Nazro Coll^r Milwaukee, Wis. — Forw $488. light gold.

From
1525 J. C. Terwilliger Utica, Mo. — Inqu. about reg^d letter 15 Nov. containing silver.

From
1526 P.S. Zimmerman Hawks Nest, W. Va. — Forw specimens of ore for exam^n

From
1527 Jos. Schneider & Brunner Cincinnati — Forw. $53.00 in 3^f silver for redemption.

To
Do. 162 — 3^f silver cannot be redeemed. Must will buy as bullion, or return.

To
A. Utzman Treasurer U.S. 163 — Requ. T.O. $31,330. coins reissued.

To
DM 164 — Returning 4 Spanish & Mexican dollars with Assayer's remarks. Rest being melted for assay.

To
P.S. Zimmerman Hawks Nest W Va 166 — Specimens ore plate.

To
DM 167 — Forw Coiner's detailed estimate cost of Venezuelan coinage.

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26		To	
	D.M.	168	Relative to estimate in Appn Bill for Salary of Book Keeper.
27	From		
	1528 D.M.		Purchasing rate of $ B., Jan 1/79, 110 ₱ Sold per oz std. for Silver Parted from Gold deposits.
	From		
	1529 T.L. Acton Supt A.O. N.Y.		Form $ B on T.O. # 4043 and 4050.
	From		
	1530 A.L. Snowden Coiner		New Coining Room engine a success.
		To	
	Robbins & Son N.Y.	173	Asks quotation of Nickel.
		To	
	J. Klippinger Milton Station, O	174	Stating Mint-marks.
		To	
	D.M.	175	Enqu. whether change in purchasing rate of Silver, applies to "Domestic Purchases"?.
		To	
	T.L. Acton Supt A.O. N.Y.	176	Difference of $2,000. in A.O. Statement $ B, and Treasurer's advices.
		To	
	D.M.	177	Stating weight & fineness melted Spanish & Dollars.

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From 1531	D.M.	Asks 4 Spanish Dollars returned
From 1532	J.C. Acton Supt AO NY	Rep. assay test coins Dec.
From 1533	A.L. Snowden Coiner	Announcing resignation of J. Gallagher Jr., Roller, Jan. 1–
To Assayer, Coiner, and M. & R.	178	N.Y. A.O. report, test coins, Dec.
To J.D. Terwilliger Utica Mo.	179	Registered letter of Nov. 15. not received.
To DM	180	Forw. order + Off. 290. Minor Coin Aitken Son & Co, NY.
To Do.	181	Subm. increase &c. J.C. Garriques Foreman G. & S. Melting, to 76, Jan.
To Do.	182	Notice of resignation J. Gallagher Jr., C. Dept. Jan.

29.

J. Cochran 1534½ and 1547–50.

From (Telegram)
1534 DM

Comer to continue in office until successor qualifies. Commission will not be issued till after New Years.

From (Telegram)
1534½ Do.

(Duplicate of above to Supt's residence.)

From
1535 Do.

Clerical error in est. of Book Keepers salary. Will try for $2,200.

From
1536 Do.

Returns with approval of Sec. Treas. contract for Venezuelan coinage.

From
1537 Do.

Price of Silver only for that Rated. Rate will be fixed for purchases.

From
1538 Do.

Rubs and experimental dies 1876 not to be destroyed till further orders.

From
1539 A.R. Wyman Treasurer U.S.

Draw chk $5,000, gold - for gold dollars.

From
1540 J. Gilfillan A.T., Washington

Acct $30,000 Subs silver T. O. #4049.

From
1541 J. Crawford Supt Mint Carson

Draw $950 cy., bill J.B. Cowden 6 bbl. Sawdust. (Receipt by Cowden hereon).

From
1542 T.O. Acton Supt AO NY

T.O. #4050 too low by $2,000 - supplementary draft asked for to cover invoice P.O. sent.

From
1543 D.K. Carter. Coll Rochester NY

Draw $241.- light gold for recoinage.

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From
1544 A L Snowden Coiner — Recom. appt. of W M Bamewall, Keller vice J Gallagher Jr. resigned.

Rec'd together.

From
1545 Do. — Explaining above nomination

From
1546 C M Wilkins Cabinet — Resigning position as Curator, Jan. 31st.

To
J Crawford 183- Supt Mint Carson. — Acknowledging $9.50/100 for Cabinet.

To
J. G. Smith 184 Del Norte, Colorado — Ore contains Copper. Recommends private analysts, as Mint assays only for G. & S.

To
D M 185 — Referring to previous letters fixing rate for Silver purchases, and asking further instructions.

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From
1547 D. M. — Explaining difficulty of getting Coiner Boebyshell's Commission as soon as desired.

Rec'd 1534.

From (Telegram No 1)
1548 Do. — Notice of Boebyshell's confirmation rec'd. Have him execute & forward bond.

From (Telegram No 2)
1549 Do. — Commission being made out. Will be forwarded for delivery on notice of approval of bond &c.

From (Telegram No 3)
1550 Do. — Commission received. Have Mr B. take oath and forward bond.

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30. From
1551 D.M. Asks order rebk $290. minor coin.

From
1552 Do. Appn. increase pd. J.L. Garrigues, and transfer T. Hackett.

From
1553 Do. Asks notice resignation J. Gallagher, C. Dept

From
1554 A.M. Wyman Treasurer U.S. Forw. T.O. # 4066 on N.Y.A.O. $2,000. RB, to Supplement T.O. # 4050.

From
1555 T.L. Acton Supt Assay Forw. in fine G. & S., value of test coins Ist qu. 1876.

From
1556 A.L. Snowden Coiner Rep. 6,680,000 pieces struck for Venezuela

From
1557 Do. Presenting statement of final settlement as Coiner.

From
1558 J.C. Booth M.M.R. Presenting Melting reports for November

From
1559 Foss, Schneider & Brenner Cincinnati Requesting return of $53 in 3¢ pieces. (Endorsed by Adams Express Agent.)

Filed in 1527.

To
A.M. Wyman Treasurer U.S. 189 Asks. T.O. # 4066, $2000, on N.Y.A.O.

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1. From
1. D.M. — Purchasing rate of $ B 110 f. oz std. Lge quantity not desired.

From
2 J Gilfillan C.T. Washington — Acku $20,000. Silver T.O. #4057.

From
3 Do — Acku. $5,000 gold, T.O. 4065.

From
4 O C Baebyshell Coiner — Transm. his official bond.

To
D.M. 188 — Forw. bond of O C Baebyshell Coiner.

2. From (Telegram)
5 D.M. — Acku. bond of O.C. Baebyshell. He may enter on his duties as Coiner.

To
D.M. 189 — Report of monthly examination Dec 30th "

To
Do. 191 — Requ. 250 copies M. C. Redemp. Circular 24 Sept 1874.

To
Do. 192 — Forw. reports of Coinage, year 1876, month of Dec, and week ending Dec 30th "

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2.		To	
	D.M.	193	Forw M.+R's reports, Nov. 1876.
		To	
	L.L. Haupt Phila.	194	Inviting proposal for Coal, 6 mo. ending June 30th 1877.
		To	
	H.C. Pollock Phila	195	Do —
		To	
	D. Fernberg Phila	196	Do —
		To	
	G.B. Newton & C Phila.	197	Do —
		To	
	W.H. Alter Phila.	198	Do —
		To	
	Branson & Bro Phila	199	Do —
		To	
	J.P. Manderfield & Sn Phila	200	Do —
		To	
	J.W. McLaughlin Phila	201	Do —
3	From 6	D.M.	Sec. Treas. orders that no more 20¢ pieces be coined or issued, except proofs.
	From 7	Do.	Forw Commission of O. C. Boabyshell Coiner. Bond filed with 1st Comptroller.

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3.	From		
	8	DM	Wants Statement of S.D. purchased & delivered 4th qu. 1876.
	From		
	9	Do.	Mr. Tompkins, Adjuster, to go to AO NY.
	From		
	10	T.B. Acton Supt. A.O. NY.	Inquiring about use of arrow-heads on coins (Silver)
	From		
	11	A. Storey Little Falls NY.	Form 25¢ for Examination.
		To	
	T. Acton Supt AO NY	202	Explaining use of arrow heads on Silver coin in 1853 and '73.
		To	
	DM	203	Form Mint Coinage Statements December.
		To	
	Do.	204	Form Requisition Jan. $40,000.
		To	
	A McIntyre Phila.	205	Form bill ½ Partition wall W. of Mint. $74.08
4	From		
	12	D.M.	Form app'd bill Geo Morgan, Genl Engraver Dec.
	From		
	13	O.C. Boerstell Coiner	Statement of dep 1876 & destroyed and returned.
Filed together	14	H.E. DuBois Assayer	Do —
	15	W.E. Key	Do —

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4	From		
	16	A J Drexel Phila.	Inquiring charges for packing &c.
		To	
		Do. 206	Stating charges.
		To	
		D K Carter 207 Coll^r Rochester NY	Forw c/D $239.26 light gold received.
		To	
		J Nazro 208 Coll^r Milwaukee	Forw c/D $482.23 do
		To	
		H C Acton 209 Dep^t ADM^y	Introducing J Tompkins, Adjuster of Weights etc.
		To	
		D M 210	Reporting dies 1876 destroyed and returned to Coiner.
		To	
		A Story 213 Little Falls NY	Coin genuine but split - Repeat coin returned.
5	From		
	17	D. M.	Acknl. Minor C. Statements December.
		To	
		D.M. 214.	Reporting departure of Mr Coupkins to adjust NY AD weights etc.
		To	
		Do. 215	Requesting copies Table of Foreign Coins, and of US Coins before & after Act of 1873. Acknl. M.C. Circulars.

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		To	
	Judges Court of C.P. No 3 Phila	216	Requesting that A.J. Fleming machinist, be excused from Jury duty.
6.	From		
Filbert Mint 97		DM	Directing thorough examination of and report on Mint machinery & estimate of repairs etc. needed.
	From		
Filbert Mint 29		Do.	Inquiring progress made with new designs, Dubs. & coinage.
		To	
	Brauns & Bro Phila	217	Inquiring about their bid for coal.
		To	
	DM	218	Forw. report Coinage week ending Jan 6th inst.
		To	
	Do	219	Forw Ord Acc and Refinery Acc- December.
		To	
	Do	220	Forw C/D $74.08, share of cost partition wall.

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8. From
20 D.M. Forw copies Table of Ill Claims etc wt xs. before & after 1873.

From
21 Do Treas. Dept. Bill Stationery $302.86 referred.

From
22 Do A.A. complains T.D. dies crack. Inquiring cause. Wants More Rent.

From
23 W Barber Engraver Wan D.D. dies are of a new invoice of steel and may not have had the right degree of hardening and temper. Move to go next day.

From
24 A.A Bosbyshell Coiner Overwork ordered to cease at 8 P.M.

From
25 D K Carter Cash'r Rochester NY Cash O/D $239.26 Cfgt sold received.

To
N Doherty 221 Providence Rd Eagle of 1799 not rare.

To
J.A Grier, H.D Garrett, A.M Downing } 222 Instructions to examine and report on Mint machinery and appliances.

To
D.M 224 Notice of resignation A.M. Wilkins, Curator Jan 31—

To
Do 225 Forw. Engraver's Letter relative to T.D. dies at P.O. cracking.

Filed herein, 23, 27, 28, 36, 37, 39, 40, 102, 110.

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8.		To	
	DM	227	Forw C/D $169.11 Gold Refinery charges.
9.	From		
	26 D.M.		Ord. A/c. Nov. referred.
	From		
	27 do.		Forw copy complaint Coiner at P. of Cracked 72 dies.
	From		
	28 W Barber Engraver		Explaining Probable cause of above Cracking
	From		
	29 Do.		List of Specimen, new designs forwarded to D.M.
	From		
	30 A W Hall Sp. Dep. Coll. Milwaukee		Asks C/D $482.23 Light gold received.
	From		
	31 J Colburn Boston		Inqu. if pattern pieces have been issued since the T.D.
	From		
	32 G A Fitch Poplar Bluffs Mo		Inqu. value of ounce of gold etc.
		To	
	DM	228	Rep. appt. of J A Grier et al, to examine and report on Mint machinery.
		To	
	J Colburn Boston	229	No pattern pieces issued since T.D.

9		To		
	DM	230		Rep. forw. certain 1D and ½ dol. dies to S.F.
		To		
	Do.	231		Forw report inspection and regulation of weights in ordinary use
		To		
	G A Fitch Poplar Bluffs Mo.	232		Reply to inquiry about value of oz. of gold etc.
		To		
	DM	233		Forw Engravers explanation of dies cracking at S.F.
		To		
	Do	235		Subm appts Miss H E Smith and K P Hansell, C Dept.
		To		
	Do	237		Forw. impressions new designs for Silver coinages.
10	From			
	33	D.M.		Requis. Jan. approved @ $40,000.
	From			
	34	Do.		Credit D/D $169.11 gold, Refining charges.
	From			
	35	Do.		Officers' Pay Roll to give salaries as in Tables, for the month.
	From			
	36	Do.		Directing investigation of dies cracking. Inquiry about invoice of steel used. Increase force in Engr Dept, if needed.
	From			
	37	W H Barber Engraver		Steel for dies same makers as before & same as used by British Mint.

Filed together in 22 A.M.

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10. From
38. N. Tostevin
Chicago

Requ. if gold deposit has been made by N. Tostevin.

	To	
D.M.	238	Requ. copies Salary Tables.
Do.	239	Form Statement Purchases 4th. qu. 1876.
N Tostevin Chicago	240	Deposit of gold $2441.06 made by N Tostevin, Nov 27, & paid Dec. 2.
Phila Gas Co.	241	Ordering new Gas meter put in.
D.M.	242.	Form Engraver's letter on steel used for dies.
Do	244	Form Statement Coin Deliveries and Assay Coins reserved, 4th qu. 1876.

11. From
39 D.M.

Phila 22 Nov

Rd dies at S.F. struck 10,000 pieces before cracking. Defect in hardening not in the steel.

From
40 Do.

Engraver's letter about dies cracking, satisfactory. Desirable to send a workman to S.F. from Phila. to harden dies there, permanently.

From
41 Do.

Acts Medal Fund A/c 4th qu. 1876.

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11	From 42	DM	Appt. appt Miss H L Smith and H P Hansell to Dept.
	From 43	Do	Adm notice resignation of Chs Wilkins, Cabinet.
	From 44	O H Lafrange Dupt Mint Dy.	Forw assay coins 4th qu 1876
Filed in #1525 of 1876.	From 45	J E Terwilliger Utica Mo	Relative to reg'd letter 5 nov— containing Silver.
	To	H P Hansell 245 Phila.	Appt as Cutter to Dept
	To	Miss H L Smith 246	Appt as Adjuster, to Dept 1 Feb.
	To	J E Terwilliger 247 Utica Mo	Envelope found but no letter. Forw $2.20/100 value of Silver.
	To	DM 248	Forw to D $190.50 Assay fees, 11 July to 15 Dec 1876
	To	Do 249	Subm appt F H Barnewall, Roller, to Dept.
	To	W S Latham 250 Ravenswood WVa	Cents of 1857-8 worth 1¢.

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12	From		
	46	D.M.	Refinery a/c Dec. referred
	From		
	47	Do—	Forw copies Table of Foreign Coins 1877.
	From		
	48	A.C. Boobyshell Coiner	Nominating T.H. Wilson foreman of Rollers and E. Henfrey do. of Annealers
		To	
	Yung Wing Hartford Conn	251	Inquiries about Minting Operations referred to D.M.
		To	
	D.M.	252.	Forw. letter of inquiry from Yung Wing.
		To	
	Do.	253	Subm. appt. T.H. Wilson & E. Henfrey foremen in A.D. Dept.
		To	
	Do.	255	Forw Statement in Settlement of A. Snowden, late Coiner.
		To	
	Do.	256	Statement for 4th qu 1876, Silver purchased and parted.

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From

49 DM — Returning bond of indemnity, Duval & Co, lost sold dep. receipt #959, 3d qu 76, to have names of obligors inserted—

From

50 Do. — Returning for endorsement, sold dep receipt #914, 3d qu 76.

From

51 Do. — Appr appt J W Barnewell C Dept

From

52 Do. — Acctn 9d # 9059 assay fees.

From

53 Do. — Medal Ap 4th qu 1876, referred.

From

54 J Crawford Supt Mint Carson — Forw assay coins 4th qu. 1876.

To

DM 257 — Forw repst Coinage week ending 13th.

To

Do. 258 — Forw oath H P Blanell C Dept.

To

Do. 259 — Requ. supply blanks, Statement of bars mfd.

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15	From	(Telegram)	
	55	DM	Inqu. approx. amount S.B. on hand.
	From		
	56	Do.	Ordering 139 dies for Carson.
	From		
	57	Do.	Letter from Young Wing referred to DM. Estimate for Mint already furnished to Chinese govt. Forw. copy request for specimen coins, for attention.
	From		
	58	Do.	Appts. appt. TH Wilson and E Singer, foremen in Dept.
	From		
	59	OC Bosbyshell Coiner	Requ. transfer to Dept of W.H.K. Smith and A. Singer
		To	
	DM	260	Forw oath F W Bamewell, C Dept.
		To	
	Do.	261.	Returning req. G. dep # 914, duly endorsed.
		To	
	Do.	262	Rep. amount S B on hand.
		To	
	Do.	263	Acknowledging order 139 dies for Carson.

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16 From
60 DSM — From blanks for statement of business rec'd.

From
61 Do. — Asks oath W. P. Hansell C. Dept.

From
62 Do. — Returning for Assayer's Signature, Silver B. report #194, 3d qu '76

To
Do. 264 — Returning do — signed

17. From
63 D.S.M. — Asks. oath F. W. Barnewell C. Dept.

To
DSM 265 — Returning Bond of Indemnity rec'd. #959, 3d qu '76, duly filled up.

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18			
#64-5-6 filed together DE	From		
	64	D. W.	Supt S.T. telegraphs, D.E. dies defective in ~~various~~ respects: 1 radii wrong; and pieces rock and pile too high. Ordering a set properly trimmed & sent. Inqu how DE dies work at Phila.
	From		
DE	65	W Barber Engraver	In reply to above, 1/ new lube ring chafer rim increased thickness; 2/ radii not changed, but reversed: 3/ Phila pieces perfectly satisfactory.
	From		
DE	66	O C Boebyshell Coiner	In reply to same, new D.E. dies perfectly satisfactory.
	From		
	67	Do	Requ. that machinists work over time, repairing presses # 9 and 10.
	To		
	H S Cochran Weigh Clerk	266	Directing approx. statement Silver on hand furnished every Sat'y
	To		
	O C Boebyshell Coiner	267	Do —
	To		
	J C Booth M & R	268	Do —
	To		
	D M	269	Form corrected statement Silver Purchases 4th qu 1876. Slight error discovered.

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18.		To		
	DM		270	DE dies and coins here, perfectly satisfactory. Forw. letters of Engraver and Coiner (65, 66) - as to radii and working
19		To		
	DM		272	Forw estimate of Deficiencies, year 1875-76 covering 5 bills unpaid.
		To		
	Do.		274	Appt. W. L. Steel, Assistant Coiner, 1 Feb 1877, submitted.
		To		
	Do		275.	Forw Statement sources of Dep. & purch. Oct to Nov. '76.
20	From			
	68	D.M.		Askin corrected statement Dep. purchases 4th qu 1876
	From			
D.E.	69	Do.		Inqu. why Supt. reversed radii of DE dies, and if new coins pile as well as old.
D.E.	From			
	70	W Barber Engraver		Explaining reversal of radii. New DE pile as well as old.
	From			
	71	O C Boxbychell Coiner		Subm. bids for muslin.
	From			
	72	R W Taylor Pt Comptroller		Directing removal and storage of Mint Exhibit
	Rep. Treas. Dept., Centennial			at Centennial.

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20 To

DM 276 Requ. speedy remittance for Disb. Exp.

To

Do. 277 Tow report Coinage, week ending 20th.

22 From

73 DM. Appr. appt. H. S. Peak, asst. Coiner. New oath necessary.

From

74 A U Wyman Treasurer U.S. Tow. Aft. $40,000, Requis. for January.

From

75 J. C. Abbott Cash. Wilmington N.C. Tow $277.50 light gold for recoinage.

From

75½ G. Klinck Princeville Ill. Tow. re forwarding.

To

DM 278 Tow Engravers letter explaining reversal of D.E. radii. Supt finds D.E. here perfectly satisfactory, & Pile well.

To

G. Klinck Princeville Ill. 280 Specimens are 1/ Native Copper 2/ Oxide of Iron, both very good.

To

DM 281 Rep. amount $ on hand.

To

A U Wyman Treasurer U.S. 282 Tow statement Light Gold Recoinage.

To

DM 283 Requ. Permission to melt up $40,000. in redeemed & uncirculated Coins. Vaults choked—

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DB
Letters #84, 131, 161.

From (Telegram) 76	DM	Requ. metal of $40,000. 19 pieces denied to be melted.
From 77	Do.	Ordering 3 pr. DE dies for S.F. Balance of dies 1877 to be hurried up. (Required)
From 78	Do.	Ordering $200,000. in quarters made at once, and $400,000 monthly hereafter.
From 79	J. Gilfillan & A.T. Washington	Acknr $20,000. subs. Letter T.O. # 4142.
From 80	T.E. Acton Supt Ag'y	Requ. price, and where to get, Cornstarch sheetings for filtering.
From 81	W.T. Harvey Mint Bureau, Washington	Requ. return of papers accompanying applic'n of Mr. Lamont.
To T.E. Acton Supt Ag'y	286	Giving price &c of sheetings for filtering.
To C.M. Rhoads Trenton Pa	287	Referring to a coin dealer.
To DM	288	3 pr. DE dies will go to S.F. this week: the rest, by end of month. Dies that cannot be used then can be returned.
(Telegram) To Do.	289	$40,000 cents, are Copper-nickel

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23		To	
	W W Alter Phila.	290	Accepting offer for Coal till June 30 @ $4 2c gross ton.
24.	From		
D.E.	82 D.M.		Engr's explanation of reversal of radii D.E. deis satisfactory but should have been given in advance.
	From		
	83 Do.		Forw blank for bond of W. S. Stee[illegible] Asst Coiner.
	From		
Action Dec 26	84 Do.		Will confer with Dept. about excess of Mint Coins redeemed, and relief of Mint vaults.
	From		
Instructions #128, 169.	85 P Brown Hop Bottom Pa		Wants specimens assayed.
	From		
	85½ J C Booth Mint		Nominating Gert B Boyd Acting M & R in his temporary absence.
		To	
	H Graham Jr Kennett Sq. Pa.	291	Stating Mint-marks.
		To	
	P Brown Hop Bottom Pa	292	Stating rules for ore assays.
		To	
	DM	294	Reversal of DE radii by Engraver came to Supts Knowledge accidentally. Engr. has been admonished to report such change promptly.

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25 From (Telegram)
86 D.M. Inqu when quarters will be made.

From
87 Do. Carson Mint complains of D.C. dies. Ordering 2 pr., received, at once.

From
88 Do. Form for assay pkg of ore for Renata Kelly.

From
89 J. Gilfillard, A.T. Washington — Form Gold nugget for assay and deposit in Coin Transfer Afc.

From
90 E. Pendleton, Dep Coll. New Haven Ct — Form $176.- Light sold for recoinage.

From
91 Rhoades & Reed, Lancaster Pa — Inqu about diamond rings thought to have been in G. dep.

To
D.M. 295 Action pkg of ore for assay

To
Do 296 Subm appt N.B. Boyd Acting M.& R. during temporary absence of M. & R.

To
J. Abbott, Coll., Wilmington N.C. 297 Form C/D $275.91 Light sold recoined.

To
Rhoades & Reed, Lancaster Pa. 298 No diamonds in deposit. Washings carefully examined.

To
(Telegram) D.M. 299 Beginning on quarters. Will deliver $40,000 or $50,000 Saturday.

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26.	From	(Telegram)	
DE.	92.	D M	Inqu height piles 20 DE, old & new dies respectively.
	From	(Telegram)	
DE.	93	Do.	Inqu if DE dies were sent to L't. Monday.
	From		
	94	Do	List Assay Commission and direction for dinner
	From		
	95	Do	Facilities in Engr Dept to be extended to Geo Morgan.
	From		
	96	Do	Wants report of examination of Mint machinery etc.
Filed in # 18	From		
	97	J A Grier H L Garrett A L W Downing	Report upon exam'n Mint machinery & appliances. Estimate for repairs etc, $11,000.00
	From		
DE	98	W H Barber Engraver	Forw. 3 pairs DE. dies and 1 pr basins for L't. Duplicate basins retained here.

(Telegram)		To	
	D.M.	300	Rep. forw. DE dies & basins to L't. Not ready Monday.
(Telegram)		To	
	Do.	301	Rep. height piles old & new DE.
		To	
	Do	302	Forw. report examination Mint machinery etc. Estimate should be $15,000.00
		To	
	Do.	305	Rep. forw. DE dies & to L't. and Asst. Engraver's letter. Carson dies go to-morrow

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26		To	
	DM	307	Forw'g/d $262.17 Refinery Charges.
27.	From		
	99	DM	Appr. appt. WB Boyd, acting M+R.
	From		
	100	Do.	Ordering 30 pairs T.D. dies for S.F.
	From		
DE	101	Do.	Difficulty with DE dies at S.F. + C.C. causing great trouble. Ordering finished dies sufficient for $1,000,000 S.F. and $300,000 C.C. monthly; and explanation from Engr. of omission to report change of radii.
J. Eades # 22 DM	From		
	102	Do.	Requ. suggestions on hardening dies, for benefit of Western Mints.
DE	From		
	103	W Barber Engraver	List of dies + bacins sent C.C. on 26th inst.
DE	From		
	104	Do.	To finish DE dies for Western Mints, must know length, and size of collar.
	From		
	105	T.R. Acton Supt. A.M., N.Y.	Rept of assay, test coins for January.

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	To	
W. Barber Engraver	308	Ordering 30 pr. T.D. dies S.F.
	To	
Assayer (Comer) and M.R.S.	309	N.Y.A.O report test coins Jan.
	To	
D.M.	310	Mint report Coinage week ending 27th.
	To	
Do	311	List of dies sent to Carson 26th.
	To	
Do	313	T.D. dies for S.F. have been ordered of Engraver.
	To	
W. Barber Engraver	314	Ordering 25 Assay Medals & 20 cases; and desiring suggestions on hardening dies, for benefit of S.F.; also ordering D.E. dies S.F. & C.C.; and requiring explanation of omission to report change of radii, D.E. dies.
	To	
D.M.	316	Rep. amt. S.B. on hands.
	To	
Do	317	Engraver will report on hardening, Haults length & size of collar, D.E. dies at S.F. & C.C.

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From
106 D. M. Acknd D/D $262.47 Refinery Charges.

From
107 Do. Has requested draft $500. a/c Refinery.

From
108 C. A. LaGrange Supt Mint S.F. Forw 150 bars S B a/c T.O. $593,750. Memoranda will accompany last shipment.

From
109 C. C. Boobyshell Coiner Forw bond W. S. Steel, Asst. Coiner.

From
110 W. Barber Engraver Stating method of hardening and tempering dies.

Fwd in # 22 D.M.

From
111 J. C. Abbott Coll'r Wilmington NC Acknd D/D $275.21 light gold recoined.

From
112 Smith Bro's Poughkeepsie NY Thought silver $ redeemable as "token coins."

To
W. E. Kalloch 319 Dake & Co. first U.S. silver coinage
Washington

To
W. H. Metz gen 320 $50. gold piece made by private
Swinston Pa parties in California.

To
Smith Bros 321 $ silver not redeemable as
Poughkeepsie N.Y. tokens. Can be rec'd only as bullion.

To
D.M. 323 Forw bond W. S. Steel Asst Coiner.

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30 From

113 O. H. LaGrange, Supt Mint S.F. — Forw 2d shipment, 150 bars Q13 a/c T.O. $593,750—

From

114 H. Barber, Engraver — Explaining omission to report renewal of D.E. radii.

To

Northrop, Coll. New Haven Conn — 324 — Forw c/D $173.27 light gold received.

To

D.M. — 325 — Forw Engraver's statement of method of hardening dies.

To

J. Gilfillan, A.T. Washington — 326 — Forw c/D $60.03 coinage of gold nugget.

To

D.M. — 328 — Rep. forw. 2 pr DE dies, passed, to Carson.

To

O. H. LaGrange, Supt Mint S.F. — 329 — Ackn. assay coins 4th qu. 1876.

To

J. Crawford, Supt Mint CC — 330 — Do —

To

D.M. — 331 — Forw Engraver's explanation of omission to report change in D.E. dies

To

Do. — 332 — Subm promotion D.M. Evans to Deposit Weigher @ $5. p.d.

To

Do. — 333 — Subm transfers H.H.C. Smith and A. Singer, Dept.

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31 From
115 D.W. Ackn. bond W. & Steel asst. Coiner

From
116 A.R. Wyman Treasurer U.S. Draw off $1500. Refinery Expenses.

From
117 W. E. Woodward Boston Inqu. meaning of "Bullion."

From
118 C. D. Litchfield Chicago Draw 10/ suspected of being counterfeit.

To
Do 334 Coin genuine but badly made (QE) Returning fresh piece. Stating best for Silver coins (solution Nitrate of Silver)

To
W. E. Woodward Boston 336 Explaining word "Bullion."

To
DW 337 Draw. report Coinage month of January.

To
Do 338 Report of monthly examination. Everything satisfactory.

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1.

From
119 D.W. — Appt. Promotion D.M. Evans to Dep. Weigher Gen Dept @ $5.00

From
120 Do. — Appt. transfer W.K. Smith and A Singer A Dept.

From
121 J. Gilfillan, Washington — Acct @ $60.03 gold nugget

From
122 A.A. Paquet, Phila. — Delivering Life Saving Medal, 1st Class, dies, 2 in. diam.

From
123 H.R. Nipton, Boston — Inqu fineness &c. coins U.S. Great Britain & France. (Assayer's reply answered)

To
D.W. 340 — Forw. oath Miss K.L. Smith A Dept.

From D.W. To
Supt Mint, S.F. 341 — DE. dies sent were basined, not hardened. No more will be sent till these are reported on.

From D.W. To
Supt Mint, Carson 342 — Do — do —

To
H.R. Nipton, Boston 343 — Stating fineness of various coinages.

To
R.P. Sawyers, St Louis Mo. 344 — The Mint does not deal in old coins

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2 From
124 D.W. Asst Treas Phila — Requ. appt. of Pt Salesman Gen. Dept, to Exam Assaying.

From
125 A D M R E Preston — A.T., N.Y., to send Mint 500 coin boxes.

From
126 J Gilfillan A T Washington — Acknl $20,000. Dubs. Silver, F.O. # 4168

From
127 A Northrop Coll New Haven Conn — Acknl G/D $173 27/100 light gold received.

From
128 P Brown Asst Treas Phila — Form mineral for assay.

To
A & D Dennis & Son 345 Newark NJ — Form Statement of Receipts

To
R Longman & Sons 346 NY — Do —

To
W Waters & Co 347 NY — Do —

To
E Balbach & Son 348 Newark — Do —

349-50 — Statement as above.

To
D M 351 — Libn appt Pt Salesman Gen Dept & Ex assigned to Assay Dept.

To
Do 352 — Form Mint Coinage Statements January

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2		To	
	J C Acton Dupt A O M	353	Forw Ch't Messrs Lowry, Atlanta, Ga, to Church & Co NY – missent to Mint – for delivery if possible.
		To	
	A A Jacquet Phila	355	Acktn Life Saving Medal dies.
3	From		
	129 A. D. M. R S Preston		Bond of W S Steel, Asst Coiner, appd and referred to 1st Comptroller
	From		
	130 Do.		Acktn. oath Miss H L Smith, A. Dept.
		To	
	P T Brown Kop't Bottom Pa	356	Letter rec'd but no mineral in it.
		To	
	D. M.	357	Forw report tonnage week ending 3rd.
		To	
	Do	358	Coin Boxes from A T NY, not needed and there is no place to store them.

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5.

Filed in #76	From 131	DM	Not expedient to melt up $40,000 — nickel cents. Authorizing conversion of M & R's Laboratory into Bullion Vault.
	From 132	Do.	Requisition made for $20,000. Gs Mfg Dubs Silver for redemption fract. curr. Separate Gs to be Kept.
	From 133	Do.	Returning bills Hooper & Townsend, and Knickerbocker Ice Co., for Payment from above Gs (Bills of last year)
	From 134	Do.	Appt. appts. P. G. Salomon, Gen Deptt.
	From 135	Do.	Forw Geo Morgan's bill as Special Engraver Jan.
	From 136	Do.	Accts Minor & Statements Jan.
Filed together	From 137	Do.	Inquiry about gold required for Life Saving Medals 1st Class
	From 138	A. A. Boerbyshell Coiner	Estimate of above.
Filed in 108	From 139	A. Lafrange Supt Mint S.F.	Forw. 124 bars S.B. 3rd last shipment Gs $ 500,000, To #4089.
	From 140	Do.	Forw memo S.B. To #4089
	From 141	J. A. Acton Dupt A.D. NY	Forw receipt Church & Co NY off from Messrs Lowry, Atlanta Ga, missent to Mint
	From 142	C. L. Sherman Pearsalls Ld (NY)	Desires description of "Coin Detector"

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5. To

W E Hallock 359 — Silver dollar 1795 not rare.
Washington

To

A.M. Wyman 360 — T.O. #4179 presented by A.G. Co.
Treasurer U.S. — but no advices rec'd from Treasurer

To

D.M. 361 — Rep. amount $ on hand

To

Do 362 — Inqu. appropriations passed by H. Rep.

To

C.L. Sherman 363 — Describing gold Coin Detector
Pawtucket R.I.

To

D.M. 364 — Life Saving Medals 1st Class will require $63.50 gold.

To

Do 366 — Forw. Requis. Feb. $40,000.

6 From

Feed in 125 — 143 — D.W. — Coin Boxes from A.T. N.Y. can be used and the freight will be less than cost of new.

From

144 — Howard & Möhle N.Y. — Requesting notice of sweeps for sale

From

Filed herein #163 — 145 — J. Luckenbach Bethlehem Pa — Forw. dime 1872 for examination. (Brass)

6		To	
	Conrad & Möhle 314	367	Dow Statement of Dwcpts for Sale
		To	
	DM	369	Rep. assay of Specimens from Senator Kelly of Oregon.
		To	
	J S Luckenbach Bethlehem Pa	370	Dime is counterfeit – Returns it but requests return, to place in Counterfeit collection
		To	
	DM	371	Dow Ord Ag and Refinery Ag for January.
		To	
	Do	372	Dow C/D $66 34 Refinery Charges.
7	From	(Telegram)	
	146 DM		Inqu approx cost making Rubs. Coin
Filed together	From	(Telegram)	
	147 DM		Inqu basis of estimate above.
	From		
	148 Do		Requ copies Letts Director Patterson to Sec of War Spencer 1841-2.
Filed herein # 164, 206	From		
	149 Do		Dow ½ dollar 1876 for Exam^n without cutting.
Filed herein 191	From		
	150 Do		Ackn. 2 T. D. – and desiring list of old coins in Coiner's Vault.
	From		
	151	O C Boebzchell Coiner	Dow report Gold Workings 3d & 4th Qr 76, + Silver Workings Sept & Dec 1876.

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1	From		
	152 M Dewey Boston		Inqu about size of 5¢ nickel, relative to Metric System.
		To	
	D M	373	Tow oath P G Salem Gn Dept, assigned to assay Dept.
		To	
	Do.	374	Coiner is preparing list of old coins in his vault.
	(Telegram)	To	
	Do.	375	$1.000,000. Subs. coin cost about $35,000.
		To	
	Do.	376	Rep. forw. dies to S.F.
		To	
	Do.	378	Tow. copy of corresp. between Director Patterson and Sec of War Spencer.
		To	
	M Dewey Boston	379	Diameters of U.S. coins adjusted to 20ths of inch, and regulated not by law, but by D M & Sec Treas
		To	
	D.M.	380	Tow Coiner's reports G & S Workings last months of 1876.
		To	
	Do.	381	Stating basis of estimate cost of Subs. Silver, viz. January expenses $35,949.12 for $1.300,000. Silver and 1140,000 G.

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8.	From		
	153	D.M.	Tow telegram from D.F. stating that DE dies do not yet work satisfactorily, inquiries being made at Carson. It may be necessary to send an expert. Supt. to think of a person.
DE.			
	From		
DE	154	Do.	Supt S.F. telegraphs, DE dies not basined nor hardened. Ordering certain D.E. dies for S.F. immediately. Inqu if previous orders were followed.
	From		
	155	Do.	Asks Ord Agt & Refinery Asst, January
	From		
	156	Do.	Asks Ord $29 $66.24 Refinery charges
	From		
	157	Do.	Requis. for Feb. approved @ $27,000—
	From		
	158	A.U. Wyman Treasurer U.S.	T.O. #179 was drawn on A.T. Phila. & presented to Mint by Ex Co, by mistake.
	From		
	159	J.L. Berg Columbia S.C.	Inqu if old coppers can be had at the Mint.
		To	
	Do.	383	No!—
		To	
	D.M.	384	Report on half dollar 1876, apparently right in everything but diam, 1/8 in. too large. Requ. leave to cut & assay.
		To	
	Do.	386.	D.E. dies sent S.F. not basined. In order to send finished dies, must know exact size.

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8. To

D.M. 388. Dom Pd $3,277.49 Silver, & bal Coinage Charges

J. From

160 D.M. Stating size of collar and length of dies, D.E. at Ft.

D.E.

From

161 Do. Dept. must send more redeemed Minor C. to Mint. Only remedy, hastening new Storage Vault

Filed in * 26

From

162 J. Gilfillan A.T., Washington Transcipt Fet 3d not rec'd. Sow list of dates for transcipts

From

163 J. L. Luckenbach Bethlehem Pa. Returning counterfeit dime, and sow another for examination

Filed in * 145

To

W. Barber Engraver 389 Sow copies of D.M.'s letters, *154 and 160.

To

J. L. Luckenbach Bethlehem Pa 390 Dime is from Carson.

To

D.M. 391 Order for DE dies for S.F., with information of size, rec'd and communicated to Engraver.

To

Do. 393 Vaults for redeemed Minor C. in preparation. Requ. that remittances be suspended till they are ready.

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10	From		
Filed in #149	164	DW	Sold half-dollar sent for exam^{n}, till next week.
	From		
	165	Do	Asks oath P.G. Saloon sent Dept.
	From		
	166	Do	Bullion a/c 3d qu 1876 referred. Hurry up a/cs 4th qu.
	From		
	167	Do	Asks C/D $3,277.40 Coinage charges.
	From		
	168	A.M. Wyman Treasurer U.S.	Forw draft $20,000. expenses Coinage Silver for red. fine. curr.
	From		
Filed in #85	169	P. Brown Hop Bottom Pa	Relative to mineral sent for assay.
		To	
	Do.	394	Mineral is common rock with specks of pyrites.
		To	
	DW	395	Forw report Coinage week ending 10th inst.
		To	
	Do	396	Rep. forw. to S.F. 3 pr. D.E. dies, basined & hardened.
12	From		
D.E.	170	D.W.	S.F. and C.C. still complain of D.E. dies. Send none but finished. Delay 3 pr not hardened, ordered for S.F. on 7th inst. Make 2 pr. finished for Carson.
D.E.	From		
	171	Do.	Forw telegram from C.C. stating size of D.E. dies.

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From
172 D.M. — Forw by Exp. pkg. of books &c for Annual Assay.

From
173 M Davis, Freedom Ill. — Inqu about Silver Smelting furnace (Mem of M & R within)

From
174 G Klinck, Princeville Ill. — Forw specimens of garnets for examination.

To
D.M. 397 — Rep. amt. SB on hand.

To
G Klinck, Princeville Ill. 398 — Western garnets are common & valueless.

To
C S Dennis & Sons, Newark 399 — Declinings bid for sweeps.

To
Howard & Möhle, N.Y. 400 — Do — do —

To
Balbach & Son, Newark 401 — Accepting do —

To
R Longman's Sons, NY 402 — Declinings do —

To
Knickerbocker Ice Co, Phila. 403 — Ready to pay bill for 6mo. ended June 30/76. Requ. a new "original"

To
Hoopes & Townsend, Phila. 404 — Ready to pay bill of May 1876 — Requ. new "original"

To
DM 405 — Subm appt A K Jones Gen Dept @ $275

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	To	
M Davis Freedom Ill.	406	Referring to Balbach of Newark relative to smelting furnace.
	To	
DM	407	Forw Gd $30,000. minor Coinage Profits.
	To	
P. Cowing Seneca Falls NY	408	Furnaces made by Caldwell & Mather.

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From		
175	D.M.	Inqu if the Mint has original dies of certain Medals.
From		
176	C C Bosbyshell Coiner	Reply to above.
From		
177	J Gilfillan A., Washington	Forw $31.00 light gold and $12.25 mutilated Silver for recoinage.
From		
178	T Kilhouse A., NY	Forw $1,000. light gold.
From		
179	H Russell NY	Asks off $190—
From		
180	E Y Townsend Pres. Columbia Smelty Phila	Inqu for C.P. Silver, Tin, and Lead. (Mem of M & R. within)
From		
181	W K Evans Salt Lake City Utah	Inqu. value of nickel, and cost of working.
From		
182	J Uhler Akron O	Forw 25¢ for Examination.
	To	
Do—	409	Genuine but flawed— (S.T.)

Filed together Also herein # 2[illegible]

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13.		To	
	D.M.	410	Reply to inquiry about certain Medal dies.
		To	
	W. H. Evans	412	Mint buys only pure Nickel ores. Referring to J. Wharton,
	Salt Lake City Utah		
		To	
	D M	414	Rep. forw. to Carson 2 pr. D.E. dies, finished.
		To	
	E.J. Townsend Phila	415	Reply to inquiry for pure Silver, Tin and Lead.
14.	From		
	183 D.M.		Inqu. when halves will be coined.
	From		
	184 Do.		Appr. appt. C.H. Jones, Gen. Dept.
	From		
	185 Do.		Asks C/D $30,000. Minor Coinage profits.
	From		
	186 J. Gilfillan Ct Washington		Asks $30,000. Silver Coin T. O. #4191.
	From		
	187 Howard & Mohle N.Y.		Inqu about their bid for Sweeps.
	From		
	188 J.P. Brumbaugh Coffee Run, Pa.		Inqu charge for assaying ore.
	From		
	189 M Davis Freedom, Ill.		Do —
	From		
	190 C.W. Winn Texarkana Ark		Forw "Silveo" pitcher for deposit.

Filed herein

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14		To	
	C.F. Jones Phila	416	Notice of appt.
		To	
	Howard & Möhle N.Y.	417	Relative to bid for sweeps.
		To	
	M Davis Freedom Ill.	418	Stating ore assay charge.
		To	
	J.P. Brumbaugh Coffee Run Pa	419	Do —
		To	
	D.M.	420	Now making halves
15.	From		
Freedom D.M. 150	191 D.M.		Old coins in Miners vaults to be restored to circulation, except 5 dollars of '72, to be sent D.M — Coiner to make no exchanges without Supt's written order.
	From		
	192 A.M. Wyman Treasurer U.S.		Draw off $27,000 Requis. Feb.
	From		
	193 Pond Bro's N.Y.		Requ exact size coins, to make a Detector.
		To	
	Do —	421	Reply to above.
		To	
	D.M.	432	Draw oath C.F. Jones Genl Dept.

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16	From 194 D.M. Phila.	Ordering specimens of new designs Silver Coinage sent to Washington on 17th Telegram from Act'g Sec Conant enclosed
	From 195 J Gilfillan A.T. Washington	Acks $20,000. Silver T.O. #4201
	To A.U.Wyman 433 Treasurer U.S.	Forw. receipts A.T., $30.03 gold and $11.25 cy. for Silver, sold & Silver re coined.
	To A.U.Wyman 434 Texarkana Ark	"Silver" pitcher proves to be plated and is returned by Exp. Co.
17	From 196 J. G. Hoffman Crown Point Ind.	Forw quarter for examination.
	To D.M. 435	Forw pattern pieces new designs for Silver coinage (5 of Morgans, in Silver)
	To Do. 436	Forw report Coinage week ending 17th
	To J G Hoffman 437 Crown Point Ind	Coin good but flawed. Pending good piece.

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17		To	
	F. H. Armstrong 428 Columbia Furnace Va		Ore valueless.
19	From		
	197 A.D.M. R. E. Preston		Forw copy instructions Asst Sec Treas 14 Feb., relative to sendings Silver Coin direct to banks. Make $100,000. of 150,000. dimes
	From		
	198 J. C. Booth M & R		Forw reports G & S melting January.
	From		
	199 J. A. Grier Asst Engineer		Asking leave of absence.
	From		
	200 E. Balbach & Son Newark		Order to deliver Sweeps to PRR. (RR receipt endorsed)
	From		
	201 Seyer & Co Atzgersdorf Austria		Forw automatic adjuster, with a machinist to put it up.
	From		
	202 F. N. Jung & Co NY		Forw Adjuster, above.
		To	
	D. M.	429	Forw 3 of Barber's patterns, ½ dollar in Silver.
		To	
	Do.	430	Rep. amount S/B on hand.
		To	
	Do.	431	Forw M & R's reports, Jan.

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From

203 A U Wyman — Notice of T.O. #4218 $5 B from
Treasurer U.S. — A.D. U.S.

From (Telegram)

204 L Bemis — Inqu if Mint runs 22d
Supt. Glen Mills Pa.

To

F. Peter 432 — Giving date, first coinage various
Allentown Pa — coins.

To

G.F. DeForest 433 — Quarter good but roasted. Sending
Freeport Ill. — another.

To

D.M. 434 — Forw correct report Silver Assay
Coins 1876 and inqu. directions
regarding S.F. & C.C. Assay Coins

To

S. Ott 438 — Minerals sent only common
Griffithville W. Va. — stones.

To

L.D. Ross 439 — Specimens contain iron & lead
Catlettsburg Ky — but of no value.

To

D M 440 — Forw Y/D $1,840± Paid by J.
Dallett & Co Y/C Venezuelan Coinage

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21 From
D.E. 205 D.M. Dorw by express 1 pc damaged D.E. dies from S.T. for examination by Coiner and Engraver.
Filed in F. 221

From
Filed in 149. 206 Do. Requ. return of 1/2 dollar sent for examination.

From
207 A.M. Wyman Treasurer U.S. Dorw $10,000. Silver, T.O. #4222.

From
208 C. Robbins & Son NY Quoting English Nickel @ $1.50 @ $1.80 gold.

To
G.A. Stork 441 Dollar of 1799 not rare.
Chambersburg Pa

To
Coiner and Engraver 442 Dorw copy D.M's letter relative to DE dies from S.T.

To
D.M. 443 Stating Asst Assay Coins, 76, S.T. and C.C.

To
S. Bernhisel 445 Mineral iron but valueless.
Green Park Pa.

To
D.M. 446 Returning half-dollar. May have been re-struck between two planchets so as to enlarge its diameter.

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22. From
209 D.M.M. Directing examination of prices of supplies, to take benefit of decline

From
210 Do. Advn $/D $1,8740 Venezuelan Coinage changes.

From
D.E. 211 Do. Forw copy telegram from S.F., complaining of finished D.E. dies.
Filed herein #227

From
212 A. L. Sturtevant Chief Div Stationery, Treasdept — No report of PO Stamps for January received.

23. From
213 H. G. Bigelow Grand Haven Mich — Inqu value of Jewish shekel, (Mem. of Anayes endorsed)

To
Do. 447 — Reply to above.

To
O. Boebyshell Iowa City 448 — Forw copy letter DMM relative to certain coins.

To
DMM 449 — Forw various accounts, 4th. Qu. 1876

To
J. Cadwalader U.S. District Judge, Phila 450 — Forw Key of Assay Weight box.

24.	From	(Telegram)	
	214	D. M.	Inqu. when dimes will be made.
	From		
	215	Do.	Directing itemized Yes sept of Contingent Expenses, (ordinary, pub. coinage & refinery a/cs) — and inventory at end fiscal year.
	From		
	216	Do.	Charge for assay of ores, raised to $5—
	From		
	217	Do.	Ferw sold $1. of 1874 to exchange for one of 1877. Inqu. how date happens to be on reverse.
Filed together	From		
	218	Do.	Directing Exam'n of correspondence to see if dating Sold $1. on reverse in pattern pieces, was duly approved
	From		
	219	Do—	Ord Yo & Refinery Yo. Jan, referred.
	From		
	220	T. R. Acton Supt A.D. Mint	Ferw S.B., T.O. # 4218.
D.E. # 205. filed in 205.	From		
	221	O. C. Boobyshell Coiner W. Barber Engraver	Report on damaged D.E. dies and collar from Ft.
	From		
	223	J. Cadwalader U.S. Dist Judge Phila	Adm Key Assay Weight box
	From		
	224	J. M. Springer Kenwood Pa.	Ferw gold dust for deposit

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24		To	
	D.M.	451	Forw report coinage, week ending 24th.
		To	
	Do.	452	Forw c/d $211.22 Refinery Charges
26	From		
225	D.M.		Askn. various Q's.
	From		
226	Do.		Relative to payment of Ass Leisenring, Assay Comr.
D.L. Letter in #211.	From		
227	W Barber Engraver concurred in by Dr Boerhill Coiner		S.F. D.C. from dies finished at Phila, rock in piling from looseness of collar, & sinking.
	From		
228	W McGrew Cash't Huntington Ind.		Inqu. if $350. in old silver can be exchanged for new.
	From		
229	J Peet Cash't Rock Island Ill.		Denies to deposit lumps of melted silver coin
	From		
230	W Squire & Co Boston		Inqu. what they can get for 37 Silver.
	From		
231	Roberts & Barnard Rushville Ind.		Inqu terms for assaying gold chain.
	From		
232	J A Hedden Newark		Which side of ½ dollar is the head?
	From		
233	Mrs J Eckert Trenton N. J.		Inqu. if there is an employé in the Mint named Wheatley.
		To	
	Do.	453	Giving name & address &c of Geo Wheatley

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26		To	
	Roberts & Zaman	454	Stating terms for assay of chain
	Rushville Ind		
		To	
	J. A. Kedden	455	"Head" of ½ dol. in obverse, with figure of Liberty.
	Newark		
		To	
	D M	456	Form gold dollar '77 in exchange for one of '74. The gold dollar has always had the date on the reverse, from first issue 1849.
		To	
	Do	457	Rep cent $5 on hand.
		To	
	Do	458	Relative to fine silver dep. and payment for Patterns and 5 proofs 1872.
27.	From (Telegram)		
	334 A. D. M.		Telegm. if 27 Life saving medals 1st Class, can be made & sent by Sat'y
	R. E. Preston		
	From		
D.E.	335 A D M		Form copy letter Supt S.F. Mint relative to defects in D.E dies.
	R E Preston		
	From		
	336 Do.		Coin report Coinage week ending 24th.
	From		
	337 Do		Coin S/D & 211 22 Refinery Charges
Filesheim #	From		
	238 A U Wyman		Form T.O. #4258 on A. J. Phila for $10,000. dimes.
	Treasurer Ufs		
	From		
	239 W C Baker		Offering "Hibernia 1700" token in exchange for old half cents.
	Minneapolis Minn		

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From
240 D W Richards & Co
NY
Offering Sheathing Copper @ 23¢.

From
241 E Spear
Comr of Patents
Requ. return of model of Cochran's balance.

To
D W Reisering 459
March Chem K Pa
Forw. warrant $50. fee as Assay Com'r with blank receipts

To
W C Baker 460
Minneapolis Minn
Cannot exchange coins. Token probably altered from 1760 and not wanted.

To
D W Richards & Co 461
NY
Copper not wanted.

(Telegram) To
A D W 462
R E Preston
Can send Life saving medals by Saturday.

To
D W 463
Forw 2 reports from Engraver and Coiner, on damaged D E dies, S.T. and on complaint of D.E. rocking. even from dies sent finished

To
Do. 465
Letter on prices of supplies received and communicated to officers. Due care has constantly been observed.

To
E Spear 467
Comr of Patents
Returning model of Cochran's balance as requested.

To
A M Wyman 468
Treasurer Mint
Asks T.O. # 4258 for dimes. Not presented as enough are on hand.

From
241½ O Boebsdell
Coiner
Recom. Appt. J Lord & J Russack helpers.

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From

242 A.U. Wyman, Treasurer U.S. — Notice of T.O. #4275-6-7 each for $1,000, to various banks.

From

243 L. Bemis, Supt Glen Mills Pa — Inqu if the Mint runs on Inauguration Day.

From

244 G.W.C. Lee, Lexington Va — Forw inquiry of M. Loubat, relative to dies Maj. R.E. Lee medal.

Filed in #175, D.M.

From

245 W. Barber, Engraver — Reply to above.

To

L. Bemis, Supt Glen Mills Pa 469 — Mint runs on Inauguration Day

To

A.U. Wyman, Treasurer U.S. 470 — Notice of T.O. #4276-6-7 does not specify denominations.

To

D.M. 471 — Subm appt J. Cusack & J. Lord helpers in C. Dept't $2.25 ea

To

G.W.C. Lee, Lexington Va 472 — Reply to inquiry about dies Majr R.E. Lee medal

To

D.M. 473 — Forw report coinage February

To

Do 474 — Subm appt C. Hanna and W. McDade laborers Gn Dept

To

J.M. Springer, Homewood Pa 475 — Forw $7.50 cy for gold grains deposited.

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1	From		
	246	D. M.	S.F. Assay Coins transferred to B. E.
	From		
	247	Do.	Carson do — do —
	From		
Filed in #238 Same	248	A.U. Wyman Treasurer U.S.	Requ returning P.O. #4258 on AT Phila, for dimes.
	From		
	249	W. H. Slater Chief Clk. Mint, Denver	Forw. unpaited bar $298.26 Charges 3rd qu 1876.
		To	
	D M	476	Life saving Medals ordered 27 Feb have been struck & are being engraved.
		To	
	A.W. Leisenring March Clerk Pa	477	Asks receipt & warrant $50. pay as Assay Comr, & forw. the money.
		To	
	A.U. Wyman Treasurer U.S.	478	Returning PO #4258.
		To	
	D M	479	Monthly examination Feb 28th. Satisfactory.
		To	
	Do	481	$500.000. Silver Profits ready for deposit.
		To	
	Do	482	Notice read from AT. Boston of more Minor Coins sent for redemption Urgent request to suspend all such remittances till new vaults are ready

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From (Telegram)
250 D. M. Wants Life Saving Medals next day.

From
251 Do— Ordering 30 bbl. saw dust for S.T. Bill to be sent to D.M.

From
252 W Barber Engraver — Trial of new D.E. dies revealed defects. New hub in preparation.

DE.

From
253 A C Boobyshell Coiner — Report of trial as above. Recommending new hub.

From
254 A. & P. Telep. Co. Phila. — Notice of reduction in rates of telegraphing.

To
R W Speilman 484 Morton Grove Ills — Ore is sulphide of iron & Nickeless.

To
D.M. 485 Forw. Mint Coinage Statements February.

(Telegram) To
Do 486 Life Saving Medals sent by Express

To
Do 487 Reporting trial of D.E. dies, forw. letters of Engraver & Coiner on defects found, and reporting new hub in preparation, dies from which will be sent.

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From
255 D.M. — Discontinue overtime.

From
256 do. — Appn. appt. J Cusack & J Lord, Dept.

From
257 do. — Appn. appt. A Hanna & W McDade Gen Dept.

From
258 A.D.M. R E Preston — Has requested of Lic Treas. deposit & transfer to B.F., of $500,000 Silver Profits.

From
259 J Gilfillan A J Washington — Asks $20,000. Subs. Silver T.O. #279.

From
260 A W Leisenring Mauch Chunk Pa — Asks $50. pay as Assay Dom.

To
J Cusack Phila. 490 — Notice of appointment Dept.

To
J Lord Phila. 491 — Do — do —

To
D M 492 — Asks order to discontinue overtime.

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From		
261	R E Preston	Asks Minor Coinage Statements February
From		
262	Do.	Forwards bill Geo Morgan, Feb.
From		
263	A U Wyman Treasurer U.S.	Asks for #4238 returned and notice that it has been cancelled
From		
264	A A Boshyshell Viner	Reps. completion of Venezuelan coinage, 12,000,000 pieces.
From		
265	Bigelow Kennard & Co Boston	Asks dies Lowell Ladies' Centennial Association.
From		
266	D B Dykins Muncy Pa	Forwards ore for examination.
From		
267	A R Piatt Winchester Ind	Wants Silver coins.
From		
268	N E Loomis Syracuse NY	Wants good counterfeits & helps sale of Detector.
From		
269	A W Heim Lockesburg Ark	Giving address for reports "Silver" Pitcher deposited.
	To	
D W	493	Forwards oaths J Meaaks & J Lord A Dept
	To	
A R Piatt	494	Apply to Treas U.S. for silver
Winchester Ind		
	To	
N E Loomis	495	Cannot furnish counterfeits.
Syracuse NY		

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5		To	
	O.H.Winn	496	"Silver" pitcher formed to be plated
	Lockesburg Ark		& returned to Texarkana on 16 Feb.
		To	
	DM	497	Rep. forw. dies to Carson in
			completion of order 11 Nov.
		To	
	Do	498	Forw oaths Texarkana & W.W.S. ade
			Gen Dept.
		To	
	Do	499	Rep asst S.B on hand.
6		To	
	DM	500	Forw Carnie's report completion of
			Venezuelan coinage.
		To	
	Do	501	Forw Bullion a/c 4th qu 1876
7	From		
	270 DM		Asstn oaths Texarkana etal, Gen Dept & W.W.S.
	From		
	271 O.K.I Goddard		Making 42 inquiries about
	Providence R.I		coins etc.
	From		
	272 O.L Stratton		Forw sketch of Silver medal found
	Knoxville Tenn.		buried near Ft. London, Tenn.

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7		To	
	DM	502	Forw q/p $9141 gold, Refinery Chgs.
		To	
	Do	503	Forw Requis $29.000, March
		To	
	Do	504	Forw Plaster models from G Morgan Special Engraver.
		To	
	Do	505	Forw bills coins for Cabinet, U.S. 1877 and Costa Rica gold.
		To	
	Do	506	Requ supply blank Requisitions.
8	From		
DE.	273 D.M.		Relative to defeats in D.E. dies. No more DE to be made till new hub is ready. 10 Specimens each, old & new, to be sent D.M.
	From		
	274 Do.		Acct Bullion q/a 4th qu 1876.
	From		
	275 R.W. Taylor 1st Comptroller		Bullion q/a 2d qu 1876 audited.
	From		
	276 A.K. Spaven Acts 1st Auditor		Returning Assayers Pay Roll for omitted signature A.K. White.
	From		
	277 S. Bitler Cash, Napa Koneta O.		Inqu how to get subs silver
	From		
	278 A.A. Brindle Capt Mechanicsburg Pa		Inqu value of $ silver. Encl. newspaper clips
	From		
	279 G.M. Bair Hanover		Same inquiry.

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		To	
	D W	307	Returning Assayer's Pay Roll with omitted signature supplied.
		Fr	
	Do	308	Forw O/D $297 48/100 chgs at Denver Mint 30 ult 76, J F L Schirmer
		To	
	J F L Schirmer Assayer Mint Denver	309	Forw dupl O/D as above
		Fr	
	S Bitler Cash't Wapakoneta O.	310	Apply to Treas U S for subs coin
		Do	
	G M Bair Hanover Pa	311	Relative to value Silver.
		Fr	
	A A Brindle Cash'r Mechanicsburg Pa	313	Do ———
		To	
	D W	315	Forw rep. Comes Silver Workings Jan & Feb '77.

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From		
280	D. W.	Authorizing coinage 50,000 T.D
Appt. by	C F Conant, Asst Sec	and receiving deposits therefor.
From		
281	D. W.	Bill for coins for Cabinet, recd and referred.
From		
282	Do	Acknw O/D $91 41/100 Refinery Chgs.
From		
283	Do	Forw Blank Requisitions.
From		
284	A A Wyman Treasurer U.S.	Forw TO & O/D $500,000 Silver Profits transferred to Bullion Fund.

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9	From		
	285	A.M. Wyman Treasurer U.S.	Form T.O. # 4305-8 covering invoice B.F. assay coins S.F. & C.C.
	From		
	286	W.K. Kaud & Co Dahlonega Ga.	Inqu for separate returns, 4 lots Gold dust deposited together in Feb.
Filed together	From		
	287	W.H. Fuller Cashr, Atlanta Ga	Relative to above. Encl. letter to him from K. & Co.
	To		
	W.H. & Kaud & Co	316	Gold deposits all melted together there being no request made for separate assays.
	Dahlonega Ga		
	To		
	D.B. Dykins	317	Minerals Galena - not worth working.
	Muncy Pa		
	To		
	J. Hayes	318	Lump a mixture of Silver & Copper probably Melted piece of coin.
	Keyser W Va		
	To		
	C.L. Stratton	319	Can give no information about medal described. Referring to J. Colburn, Boston.
	Knoxville Tenn		
	To		
	A.M. Wyman	320	Returning T.O. # 4305-8 Assay Coins S.F. & C.C, duly noted.
	Treasurer U.S.		

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10	From		
	288	D.M.	Forw. for examination 10 S.T. D.E. to be returned to D.M.
D.E. Filed herein #2967.	From		
	289	Do.	Notice of purchase SB from Nevada Bank 0z 500,000 @ 121¼ gold BT. with AT NY to be increased $30,000
Filed together	From		
	290	Do.	On above, pay appx. value on delivery.
	From		
	291	Do.	Asku C/D $29748 Denver Mint.
	From		
	292	A.U. Wyman Treasurer U.S.	Notice of T.O. #4324, SB from A.O. NY.
	From		
	293	D. Kimball Actg C., Treas Dept	Bill for 27 Life Saving Medals referred to 1st Auditor.
		To	
	D.M.	522.	Forw report Coinage week ending 10th.
		To	
	Do	523	Asku S.T. D.E. for examination
12	From		
	294	D.M.	Requ copy Regulation of 1853 for delivery of Silver Coin to banks direct. Query as to payment of expens.
	From		
	296	J. Gilfillan A.T. Washington	Asku $30,000 Subs Silver T.O. #4309.

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12	From		
D.E. filed in #288.	296	W. Barber Engraver	Report of comparative examination DE, PF & Phila.
	From		
	297	O.C. Roshyshell Coiner	Do — do —
	To		
	A.U. Wyman 524 Treasurer U.S.	Asks C/D & T.O. $500,000 Silver Profits to B.F. Transcript delayed by sickness of Book Keeper.
	To		
	DM	526	Forw. Silver Distribution Circular of 1853, to be returned to files.
	To		
	O.H. LaGrange 528 Supt S.F. Mint		Forw. 10 D.E. of S.F. sent by DM for examination.
	To		
	DM	529	Repeating above.
	To		
	Do	530	Forw. Coiner's & Engraver's reports on S.F. D.E.
13	From		
	298	DM.	Appn. Requis. March, $29.200
	To		
	DM	532	Rep. Forw. 30 bbls Sawdust to S.F. Forw bill $40.50 J.B. Condon
	To		
	Do	533	Rep. amt. $ on hand.

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13	To		
	D.M.	536	Tow 10 D.E. from new bud and 10 from old.
14	From		
	299	D.M.	Expenditures next fiscal year, to be kept strictly within approp'ns: tow readjusted if necessary.
	From		
	300	Do.	Notice of purchase SB from Fr. French, £ 300,000 @ 124$ gold. Appx. value to be paid on delivery. Segn if gold bal at NY as shall be increased, or coin sent there from Mint.
Filed together	From		
	301	Do.	Pay transportation on above from Silver Profits.
	From		
	302	Do.	Referring Circular remanding Centennial Exhibits to the proper custodians.
	From		
	303 J.D. Aston Dept at NY		Tow Statement SB on T.O. #4324.
	To		
	DM	537	Regn transfer $500,000 gold coin from Mint to AT. NY. - part in $1. pieces if possible.
	Do.	538	Tow Accs Feb., Ord., Refinery & Subs Silver.

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15. From
DE. 304 D. M. DE. from new hub, satisfactory; 17 returned; 3 kept by D.M.

From (Telegram)
DE. 305 Do Ordering 2 pr finished DE dies for $7.+ $4 each.

From (Telegram)
DE. 306 Do — Inqu. how much of D.E. coinage, of hub has been issued

From
307 Do — Bill 30 bbl Sawdust for $7. approved + referred.

From
308 R. Cochran P.M., Selma, Ala. Inqu if Mint pays exp. chgs. on silver coin, found in minor coin redeemed, + returned.

To
Do. 539 Silver coin not redeemable, + returned at sender's expense.

To
W Barber Engraver 540 Ordering 2 pr finished DE dies each for $7.+ $4.

To
D M 541 Action DE returned, and order for dies.

To
W H Fuller Cashier, Atlanta Ga 542 Cannot now give assays of 4 lots Gold melted in one deposit; but giving estimate based on subsequent deposit apparently from same parties.

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16 From
309 D. M. Ackn. February a/cs.

From
310 Do. Bullion a/c 4th qu 1876, referred. Requ. a/cs current qu. at earliest possible moment, to be audited by end of fiscal year.

From
311 Do. Dft. Life Saving Medals, will soon be remitted.

From
312 Do. Engraver not to prepare specimen dies without first submitting designs to D. M.

From
313 Do Criticising oversight in adopting defective 1st hub, D.E. Blame not to be thrown on Western Mints.

From
D.E. 314 Do Leaves to Supts discretion, re coinage of D.E. 1st hub.

From
315 Do Confirming telegram for finished dies, and ordering more unfinished

From
316 W. Barber Engraver Rep. from. D.E. dies to P. & Ch. Notice about passing hereafter.

From
317 W. J. A. Loos Myerstown Pa Offering Graphite. (Mem. of M. K. hereon)

From
318 R. C. Winthrop Boston Inqu. if Medal can be made for Peabody Educational Fund.

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To
W Barber 543
Engraver
Ordering unfinished D E dies for S.F. & C.C.

To
Rev'd W Prescott 544
Warren N.H.
Reply to various inquiries about coins.

To
W Barber 545
Engraver
Conveying D M's instructions not to prepare new specimen dies without his action first had.

To
R C Winthrop 546
Boston
Mint can strike medals from dies, but not prepare the latter. Referring to Mr Mitchell Engr.

To
D M 548
Rep. forw. D E dies to S.F. & C.C. and forw. Engraver's letter on Casting etc.

To
A U Wyman 550
Treasurer U.S.
Requ P.O. for 52,755 Minor Coin reissued.

17

From
319 D. M.
Engraver to prepare & submit drawing of Eagle on Shield, for Subs. Silver. The work not to interfere with regular duties.

From
320 Do
Returning bill Assay Dinner to be made out in detail with vouchers.

From
321 A U Wyman
Treasurer U.S.
Draw off for $29,200. Requis. for March.

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17	From		
	322 A & Mc Cullough Columbia Pa		Inqu value of silver 3 ℔s.
		To	
	Do.	551	Reply to above.
		To	
	D M	552	Sow report Coinage week ending 17th.
	From		
	322½ Do.		Desires position for Miss Susan Dallas.
19	From		
	323 J Gilfillan A T Washington		Asks ∫ 30,000 Silver coin, T.O. # 4346.
	From		
Seyes' Filed herein	324 A A Boebyshell Cincr		Reporting Seyes' Adjuster stop and tested with ½ Dollar Planchets. Such a machine needed to insure accuracy of Silver Coinage.
	From		
	325 J & W Seligman & Co NY		Sow SB ℔s sale oz 200,000 @ 121 3/4.
	From		
	326 H Russell Albany N.Y.		Asks return of small Silver found in Minor Coins redeemed.
		To	
	D. M.	553	Inqu about Purchase of SB from J & W. Seligman
		To	
	Do	554	Rep Sow. to Carson 2 pr. unfinished DE dies, new hubs.
		To	
	Do	555	Rep. amt. SB on Land.

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19			To	
		D M	356	Forw bills Assay Dinners, with vouchers, as requested.
20	From			
	327	D. M.		Forw drafts for various bills of last fiscal year. (Receipts taken herein.)
Recd in # 389 D M	From			
	328	C A Bosbyshell Coiner		Relative to having 1/2 dollar dies made by A Paquet, turned to fit presses.
Duplicate # 355 Bound	From			
	329	Miss Forbert Lambertville N J		Asgn. for books on Silver.
			To	
		Do	557	Reply to above.
			To	
		D M	559	Forw copy of Coiner's letter about turning Paquet's dies.
21	From			
	330	D. M.		Forw Treas Dept Circular calling for information for Treas. Register.
	From			
	331	Do.		Notice of purchase from J & W Seligman & Co, S B. of 100,000 @ 118¢ sold, delivered free. Pay by dft on A T, N Y.
	From			
	332	Do.		Notice of purchase from J & W Seligman & Co, S B of 200,000 @ 121 3/4 sold, (Transportation to be paid from Silver profits.) Pay by dft on N Y A T.

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21 From
338 D. M. — Ofs for Feb. — Ord Ags. Refinery and Subs Coinage — referred.

From
334 A.U. Wyman, Treasurer U.S. — Notice of T.O. # 4375, $25 from Ao., N.Y.

From
335 J.F.L. Schirmer, Assayer, Mint, Denver — Forwd unpaid bar $290.22 charges 4th qu 1876.

From
336 O.C. Bacon, Erie Pa — Inqu. about coinage of 20¢ pieces.

From
337 J.D. Rearick, New Berlin Ill. — Inqu date first coinage Silver dollar, etc.

To
Do — 560 — Reply to above.

To
O.C. Bacon, Erie Pa — 561 — Reply to inquiry about 20¢ pieces.

To
Rep. forwd. dies to S.F.

22 From
338 D. M. — Price of 100,000 $5 from Seligmans reduced to 117 1/8. Mint to pay expenses from Silver Profits.

Filed in #331.

From
339 Do. — Authorizing turning of Mr Pacquets dies.

D. Lothrain #328 Coiner

From
340 A.U. Wyman, Treasurer US — Askn. $20,000, silver, T.O. #4362.

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22 From 341 W Barber - Engraver — Subm. design for Half dollar and requ. permission to make a die.

From 342 G C Van Allen Mt Pleasant Iowa — Asking for back Reports and making various inquiries.

To L M 563 — Requ. requis $500. gold, Refinery Expenses.

To Do — 565 — Form Engraver's sketch Half dollar, and recom. that he be allowed to make a die.

To G C Van Allen Mt Pleasant Iowa 566 — Reply to inquiries about Reports & books.

To D M 568 — Requ 500 Cent Redemption Circulars of 7 Feb 77.

To Do — 569 — Form O/D $239.45 Refinery Charges.

23 From 343 D M — Form copy letter to J & D Seligman & Co. calling for balance £B, of 60,000, on Purchases Nov 76

From 344 (Telegram) Do — Pay 10% (on £B Seligmans)

From 345 T. C. Acton Supt. Assay — Form £B on T.O. #4375.

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Filed herein # 346½

From
346 J C Eyster Redemption Clerk — No vault room for redeemed Minor Coin from A.T.O.

From
347 J & W Seligman & Co NY — Draw SB a/c sale @ 121 3/4.

From
348 Von Hoffman & Co N.Y. — Draw SB., oz 300, 448 @ 124. and letter of F O French.

Filed Together.

From
349 F O French NY — Relative to sale SB oz 300,000 @ 124.

Filed in # 346

From
346½ J C Eyster Redemption Clerk — Reporting amt, by denom^ns, of Minor Coin on hand ($179, 604 86/100)

To
DM 570 — Ackn. copy letter calling on Seligmans for undelivered balance.

(Telegram) To
Do 571 — Draw if approx. value SB shall be paid to Seligmans,

To
J & W Seligman & Co 572 N.Y. — Draw chks $ 86, 911 80 and $48,000 a/c S.B.

To
T Kilchouse 573 AT, N.Y. — Notice of above checks.

To
DM 574 — Vaultroom for Redeemed Minor Coin insufficient, influx constant, demand slight. Suggesting providing some other place of deposit.

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24. From
350. D.W. Asks a/c D $239.45 Refinery Charges.

From
351 Do. Has requested dft $500. for Refinery Expenses.

From
352 A.M. Wyman Treasurer U.S. Forw dft $40.50 J.R. Bowden

From
353 A.E. Boxbyshell Coiner Trial of Sleyes Adjuster with Quarter dollar Planchets satisfactory

D. ledger # 324 same

From
354 R.B. Ferris Cashier Bank of N.Y., N.Y. Notice of arrival SB of 500,000 for delivery a/c Nevada Bank, & requ. directions in case of change.

From
355 Miss F. Torbert Lambertville N.J. Thanks for information.

D. ledger # 329 same

From
356 D.W. Relative to position for Miss S. Dallas. Encl copy letter to Judge Cadwalader

D. ledger # 322 1/2 Dec

From
357 Wm. Henry Rawle Phila Recom appt of Miss Dallas.

From
357 1/2 John Sherman Sec. Treasury Circular #43 – Distribution of Silver Coin by direct shipment on order Treasurer U.S. on C/D –

To
Morton Bliss & Co 578 Forw chk $270.000, a/c U.S.
N.Y.

To
T. Hillhouse 579 Notice of above chk.
& N.Y.

To
D.W. 580 Forw report Coinage, week ending 24th.

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24		To	
	Montgomery & Co N.Y.	581	Statement of S.B. disagrees with numbers etc. on bars. Requ. new invoice, last 204 bars.
		To	
	DW	582	Dow c/o $127.83 sale of old Materials.
26	From		
	358 D.W.		Bank of N.Y. will deliver S.B. oz 500,000, c/o Nevada Bank
Filed together	From	(Telegram)	
	359 Do		Above S.B. to be delivered free of all charges
	From		
	360 Gilfillan of Washington		Acct $ 50,000 Silver, P.O. # 4379.
	From		
	361 J.A. Booth N.Y.		Dow for transmittal to Dill, report trial Porcelain Jaws for Refining
	From		
	362 J.W. Seligman & Co N.Y.		Acct checks for S.B. $86,911.50 and $48,000.
	From		
	363 J.D. Brown agt Providence R.I.		Requ about assays of bullion from Merrimac Mining Co.
	From		
	364 J.R. Galiafero Evans Mills Jeff. Co N.Y.		Wants to sell Gold watch.

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26 (Telegram) To
DM 584 Inqu if Mint pays charges on $13 from Bank of NY.

To
J D Brown 585 No bullion from Newburyport except
Providence Rd a sample assayed 2 years ago.

To
J R Taliafer 586 Case worth $6. or $8. Cannot
Evans Mills NY take it.

To
D.M. 587 Tow Coiner's reports on trials of Keyes Adjuster, with Remarks. Too delicate and slow.

To
Do 589 Tow M & R's report on Porcelain Jars.

27 From
865 DM Askn A/D $127.85 sale of old materials.

From
366 Do. Ordering set Standard Weights G. & S. Coin, to be sent to D. Mrs

From
367 A R Wyman Treasurer U S Tow draft $500, sold, Refinery Co.

Filed in 4824 Paine

From
368 O C Bosbyshell Coiner Report of trial Keyes Adjuster with Diners.

From
369 L Von Hoffman & Co NY Askn chk $270,000. Tow. mem. 204 bars A.B. as requested. Rcpt chk to Jno "or National City Bank".

27.

From

370 R B Ferris Cash't Bank of N.Y. N.Y. — Form 411 bars S.B. % Nevada Bank. Specifications shortly.

From

371 E K Brown Rising Sun Md. — Inqu. test for Silver coins, and if old Dollars are redeemed.

To

L Vonhoffman & Co N.Y. 590 — Asks new statement S.B., and receipts for checks,

To

H Troemner Phila. 591 — Ordering for D.M. set standard coin weights.

To

E K Brown Rising Sun Md 592 — Reply to inquiries.

To

R B Ferris Cash't Bank of N.Y. N.Y. 593 — Cannot handle S.B. without an invoice. Will attend to it after end of current quarter.

To

J & W Seligman & Co N.Y. 594 — Form chk $6,363 84/100, for $13 @ 12 1/4.

To

T. Hillhouse & T. N.Y. 595 — Notice of above checks

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28 From
372 J M Floyd — Actu. 13,521 GD and 52 SP on
Actg Supt AC, NY. — Invoice #7.

From
373 R B Ferris Cash. — Forw invoice 411 bars SB. Will
Bank of NY NY — send next day invoice 110 bars,
completing sale $500,000 by
Nevada Bank.

To
Do — 596 — Actu. above. Will send chk for
Part on Saturday if possible.

To
Do — 597 — Forw Coiner's report, trial of Pyx
Adjuster with Dimes.

To
Do — 598 — Forw C/D $270.00 a/c J F L Schirmer
Denver Mint

To
J F L Schirmer — 599 — Forw dupl C/D above
Assayer, Mint, Denver

To
Do — 600 — Rulem appts Miss S Dallas (Asst)
and John Smith, Gen Dept.

29 From
374 T Acton — Forw report assay test coins
Supt AC, NY — Tel & Mich

From
375 Do — Forw fine G & S for test coins
set qu 1877. (Recd by Cashier)

From
376 H Troemner — Forw set weights for ST, to be
Phila — adjusted. Inqu about coin
weights ordered for DM.

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From
377 R B Ferris Cash't Bank of My NY — Form 110 bars 893 completing delivery from Nevada Bx.

From
378 J & W Seligman & Co NY — Acct chk a/c of P.B.

To
T. C. Acton Dept Ag NY 601 — Acct fineness & Sp. Gr. test coins.

To
Assayer Carney and Mint Phila 602 — My Ag report test coins Feb & March

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From
379 J & W Seligman & Co NY — Form P.B. oz 35,775 10/100 a/c balance sale in Nov/76 @ 117½. Will com send rest, and bal. @ 121 3/4.

From
380 D B Carpenter Norwood NY — Wants Silver Dollar 1804 for $10—

From
381 Mrs L E Lyman Richmond Hill NY — Asking information

From
382 C H Moore Jamaica NY — Form coins for examination.

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To
D B Carpenter 603 — Silver dollar 1804 worth $1,000— None for sale.
Norwood NY

To
Mrs L S Lyman 604 — Explaining Mint-marks.
Richmond Hill NY

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From
383 A M Wyman — Requesting entry of $6.88 loss on light gold received from A. T.
Treasurer U S

From
384 S S Dix — Draw C/D $2,000— for subs. Silver
Chas Pelle Co, Eaton, O

From
385 W K Hoskin — Draw 25¢ for examination,
Dayton O

To
A W Moore 605 — Coins are French.
Emmansburg MD

To
D M 606 — Draw reports coinage, month Mch and week ending 31st

To
W K Hoskin 607 — Quarter is genuine.
Dayton O

To
Lloyd Hoffman & Co 608 — Draw chk $101,528.18 bal. on $13 @ 124¢.
NY

To
J Hillhouse 609 — Notice of above chk; order Lloyd H. & Co, or National City Bank" by special request.
A T NY

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31		To	
	S S Dickinson Eaton O	610	Returning P.O. $2000. + Should have been sent to Treasurer U.S.

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2.	From		
	386	A.U. Wyman Treasurer U.S.	Ackn't $50,000 Silver T.C. #4412,
	From		
	387	R.W. Taylor 1st Comptroller	Refinery a/c. Aug 15-28, 879 adjusted. Auditor's report thereon.
	From		
	388	D.G. Harrison Mockeson Penn	Ores for examination
		To	
	D.M.	612	Report of monthly examination. Cash on hand $2,992,034 46/100
		To	
	Do	614	Rep. Ass't T.B. on hand 3d Mch.
		To	
	R.B. Ferris Cashier Bank of Nev. N.Y.	615	Draw chk $500,000. a/c R.B. from Nevada Bank,
		To	
	T. Kilhaure A.T. N.Y.	616	Notice of above chk.
		To	
	T.B.A. Burpee, Phila	617	Requisition for old Iron and Copper.
	et al.	618	List of persons to whom copies of above letter were sent.
		To	
	D.M.	619	Draw. Requis. Assine $27,000.
		To	
	D.G. Harrison Mockeson Penn	620	Ores Pyrites.

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From

389 W Barber Engraver — Rep. 10 pr. D Edies for C.F. ready.

From

390 L Von Hoffman & Co N.Y. — Acku chk $101,528.18 a/c S.B.

To

D M 621 — Rep forw 10 pr D Edies to C.F. balance of order Oct 12/76.

To

Do 622 — Forw C/D $156.24 Refinery charges.

To

Do 623 — Forw. Minor Coinage Statements March.

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From

Files in 322½ Dall — 391 D. M. — Offs appt. Mies & Dallas and J Smith, Gen Dept.

From

392 Do. — Requis April approved @ $27,000

From

393 Do. — Forw. approved bill Geo Morgan March.

From

394 S S Dix Eaton O — Acku Dft. returned.

From

395 J & W Seligman & Co N.Y. — Forw S.B., balance @ 117¾ and on a/c @ 121 3/4.

From

396 A Guinter Mt Pleasant Pa — Forw ore for assays.

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4	From 397	G. Junkin Phila.	Inqu. weight and fineness of silver dollar of various dates.
5	From 398	(Telegram) D. M.	Ordering 10 rev 79 dies for S.F.
	From 399	Do.	Inqu. amt $80 due from Religmans.
	From 400	Do.	Asks D/D $156.24 Refinery Charges.
	From 401	J. C. Booth Mint	Forw reports Gr. & Melting March.
D. ltr in 322½ DML	From 402	Hon. M. R. Thayer Phila	Recom appt Miss L. Dallas
	From 408	Aitken Smith & Co N.Y.	Inqu if Mint can supply nickels.
	From 404	H. C. Bedford Killegrove Pa.	Forw ore for assay.
	From 405	Fling Brisley & Co Phila.	Inqu about redemption of bronze cents.

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	To	
D.M.	624	Reporting amt RB deposits Coligmans.
	To	
Aitken Sm & Co NY.	625	Will supply nickels.
	To	
John Smith Phila	626	Notice of appt.
	To	
Miss S Dallas Phila	627	Do —
	To	
Geo Junkin Phila.	628	Stating weight and fineness of successive silver dollars.
	To	
J & W Seligman & Co NY.	630	Draw checks $65,000 and $85,000 sold % A.B.
	To	
T Kilhouse AT, NY.	631	Notice of above checks.
	To	
Fling, Shrigley & Co Phila	632	Relative to redemption of one cent pieces.
	To	
D M	633	Will forward 20 pairs CD dies to S.F. at once; and 10 pr. shotty-
	To	
Do	635	Draw M & R's reports, March.

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From
406 D M — Confirming telegram for T D dies for D. Inqu. if order of Jan 26th has been filled.

From
Telegram 322½ D M 407 Do — Forw copy letter Mch 29 approving appts Miss Dallas and J Smith.

From
408 A M Wyman Treasurer U S — Forw C/D $165— Refinery Oc Aug 15—28, 1876.

From
409 R W Tayler 1st Comptroller — Oed a/c 4th qu 1876 audited and found correct.

From
410 T. P. Acton Supt. A.D. N.Y. — Forw C/Bs T. O. #4421.

From
411 J. C. Booth M. & R. — Forw reports Silver Melting, February.

To
D. M. 636 — Forw oaths Miss Dallas and J Smith. Appmt of Mch 29, received Ap 4th

To
Aaron Guinter 637 Mt Pleasant Pa — Oc & Limestone.

To
Rep forw 20 p. T D dies to D. F.

To
G T Shepherd 639 Hayes Kansas — Ore is "mixture Iron & Sulphur."

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6		To	
	D M	640	Forw M & R's report Silver Melting, February.
		To	
	Do	641	Subm. transfers J. McKee and J. McCurry.
7.	From		
	412	J. Sherman Sec. Treas.	Circulars relative to Official Envelopes and Postage Stamps.
	From		
	413	R. W. Taylor 1st Comptroller	Cs Mfg Subs Coin 3d Qu 1876 audited and closed.
	From		
	414	J. W. Seligman & Co NY	Ackn chks $65,000 and $85,000.
		To	
	D M	643	Forw Cs. March, Ord, Subs, Coinage and Refinery.
		To	
	Do	644	Forw report Coinage week ending 7th.
		To	
	Do	645	Encl. M & R's report Feb, left out of letter of day before by accident
		To	
	Do	646	Forw list of officers and employes 1st Feb.

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J

Filed herein #423, 424, 451.

From
415 D.W. Buy SB at London rate, less 1/2 % per 2 fine.

From
416 Do. Buy Silver in G. Dep. @ 106 gold per oz. std.

From
417 Do. Ackn oathes Wm Dallas and Smith, Gen Dep't.

From
418 Do. Offr transfers J McKee and McCurry

From
419 A.U. Wyman Treasurer U.S. Notice of SB from Nev Ag To #4421.

From
420 J.W. Maddox Hayes Kansas Draw ore for examination (Draw)

From
421 E. Saalmaker Meadowville W Va Draw ore for examination

To
A.U. Wyman 647 Treasurer U.S. T.O. #4431 for Cube Coins not received.

To
E. Saalmaker 648 Meadowville W Va Specimens are common stones with Pyrites, one a piece of Zinc.

To
D.W. 649. Ackn instructions relative to price of Silver in G. deposits.

Do 650. Ackn instructions to be guided by London rate in buying SB and inquiring how this rate is to be ascertained.

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9.		To	
	H. Redford Hillsgrove Pa.	652	Specimens valueless.
		To	
	J. W. Maddox Thayer Kansas	653	Specimen is good iron ore.
		To	
	D. M.	654	Requesting instructions for calculation of price of S. B. based upon London quotations.
		To	
	Do	656	Forw. ~~Statement~~ Coin Deliveries and Assay Coins Reserved, 1st qu 1877.
10.	From		
	422 D. M.		Asstu. Ups. March 1877.
		To	
	R. B. Ferris Cash Bank of N.Y.	657	Forw chk $133,240.02 in full for D.B. from Nevada Bank,
		To	
	J. Hillhouse N.Y.	658	Notice of above checks.

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11. From
423 D.M. Directing method of calculating value of £B, based on London rates.

See Ltr in #415 - D.M.

From
424 Do. Will furnish direct quotations of London rates, and printed table of equivalent values. Meantime to be guided by quotations in leading papers.

From
425 R.M.T. Richardson Phila. Certificate of improving health of A.A. Carpenter (blacksmith)

From
426 Martin & Epley Franklin, Pa. Forw three 25¢ coins for Examination.

From
See Ltr Herein #437, 511, 533, 537, 544 426½ D.M. Directing coins of various nations procured and assayed.

To
D.M. 659 Balance at A.T. Mint, running low.

From
427½ J.A. Nexsam Dr Fulton Bank Brooklyn N.Y. Wants table of old coins of each denomin, annually, since 1856-76.

12. From
427 D.M. Ordering D.E and T.D dies for Carson. Note size of D.E butts.

From
428 A.M. Wyman Treasurer U.S. Forw $27,000 Requis. April. (Rec'd by Cashier.)

From
429 O.H. LaGrange Supt Mint S.F. Forw Assay Coins 1st qu. 1877.

From
430 J. Crawford Supt Mint C.C. Do —

From
431 S.H. Harris Mt Aerial Ky Forw mineral for examination.

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To
W Barber 660 — Ordering dies for Carson.
Engraver
To
Martin & Epley 661 — Coins sent, are genuine.
Franklin Pa
To
J Crawford 662 — Asks to assay coins 1st qu. 1877.
Supt Mint C.C.
To
S H Harris 663 — Specimens are limestone.
Mt Aerial Ky
To
D M 664 — Asks order for dies for Carson.
To
Do. 665 — Relative to procuring and assaying foreign coins. Should have 3 at least. Inqu. how they are to be procured and paid for. and if recent assays are to be repeated.

13

From (Telegram)
432 D. M. — Make 100,000 T.D. at once.

Filed together

From
433 Do. — Sec Treas authorizes Mint to make TD for deposits and N.Y.A.O. Make 100,000 at once and keep stock on hand.

From
434 Do. — $100,000. to be placed to credit B.T. with AT, NY.

From
435 Do. — Ordering 15 pairs DE dies for S.F.

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13 From
436 D.M. Forw letter from Lt. Metcalfe USA, relative to his Adjutancy (436½) and directing preparation of a statement of what it will be required to accomplish.

To
N Barber 667 Ordering dies for S.F.
Engraver

To
D.M. 668. Asks order for above dies.

To
Do. 669 Asks orders to coin TD and keep them in stock.

To
Do. 670 Asks telegram to coin 100,000 TD.

To
Do. 671 Forw Coiner's reports, Gold, Jan. & Mch., and Silver, March. Requ. supply of blanks.

14 From
Filed in #426½ DM 437 DM Directions relative to procuring, accounting for, & assaying foreign coins previously ordered.

From
Filed herein #461, 468. 438 Do— Referring letter of Asst Tea. N Orleans. Coin boxes to be recd from A.T., Cincinnati; freight paid from Silver Profits @ 83¢ per 100 lbs.

From
439 A.U.S. Wynman Treasurer US Notice of T.O. #4494, SB from NY A.C.

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14	From (Telegram)		
	440. J.D. Acton Supt A.A.U.S.		Inqu how soon 10,000 T.D can be furnished.
		To	
	D.M.	672	Forw YD from 1st Nat Bk Indianapolis (in favor of Elston & Sons for $1000 for subs Silver) for Treasurer U.S.
		To	
	Do	673	Acton notice of coin boxes for A, Cincinnati.
		To	
	Do	674	Forw report Coinage week ending 14th "
		To	
	A.L. Lafrange Supt Mint S.F.	675	Acton assay Coins 1st qu. 1877.
16	From		
	441 D.M.		Forw blanks for Coiner's reports.
	From		
	442 J. Gilfillan A.T., Washington		"Transfer Letters" as per specimen enclosed will be issued for shipments of subs. Silver instead of "Transfer Orders".
	From		
	443 N.E. Goodwin Columbus Miss		Inqu how to get subs. Silver
	From		
	444 G.W. Roberts & Co Crockett Texas		Inqu. for Dft. $60., remt for Minor Coin.

J. Gilfillan # 535, 552

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From
445 L. H. Scott Cashier — Inqu. about deposit and
Banco de Santa Eulalia — sale of D.B., refining charges,
Chihuahua, Mexico — etc. (Mem. of Assayer and Ass't. Treas. filed herein.)

From
446 J. V. Simmons — Forw 25 ℔ for examination.
Charlestown Jefferson Co. Va.

To
D. M. 676 — Asks blanks for Coiner.

To
A. E. Goodwin 677 — Instructions how to obtain
Columbus Miss. — subs. Silver.

To
D. M. 679 — Requ 50 to 100 copies Sec Treas.'s
Circular #43, relative to furnishing
Subs. Silver direct from Mint.

To
G. W. Roberts & Co — Remittance for Minor Coins
Crockett Tex. 680 — not received.

To
J. W. Seligman & Co 681 — Forw chks $10,015 64/100, $13,534 84
N.Y. — on a/c D.B.

To
F. Hillhouse 682 — Notice of above checks.
A.T., N.Y.

To
683
L. H. Scott Cash'r — Information relative to deposit
Chihuahua Mex. — and sale of D.B., refining
P.O., El Paso, Tex, via Santa Fe) — charges, coinage charges, etc.

To
J. V. Simmons 687 — Piece sent is genuine.
Charlestown Jeff Co Va

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17 From 447 D. M. — Acts C/D Invoo. from Elston & Son, Ind, missent. Referred to Treasurer U.S.

From 448 Do. — Apps March 1877, examined and referred.

Let Rec'd # 469

From 449 Prof R. E. Rogers Phila. — Recom. obtaining 2 extra Gold Finishing iron pots, for the Refinery. (Approved)

To C. Newcomb 688 Phila — Accepting bid for old iron.

18 D.E.

From 450 D.M. — Forw translation of extract from Report of Netherlands Mint, relative to difficulty met with in preparing dies for new Gold coinage. Enjoining great care in altering devices.

Let Rec'd # 415 DM

From 451 Do — Forw tables showing value of fine and Std. Silver, based on London rate.

Let Rec'd # 436 DM

From 452 Do — Forw letters relative to Metcalfe & Gill's Adjuster, with diagram.

From 453 Do — Forw supply of Circulars # 43 relative to distribution of Refd Silver.

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18			
	From		
	454	D.M.	Requ statement SB on hand 14th inst.
Filed together	From		
	455	J.C. Booth Mint	On 14th inst was receiving 800,000 SB and could not state amt on hand.
	From		
	456	T.W. Aston Supt Ass Ny	Forw. SB, P.O. # 4494.
	From		
	457	J. & W. Seligman & Co N.Y.	Forw SB, first shipment A/c 100,000 @ 117 7/8. Aston. two checks sent 16th inst.
	From		
	458	J.F.B. Litchfield Southbridge Mass	Inqu for a book on U.S. coinage, etc.
	From		
	459	P.A. & S. Small York Pa	Inqu how to dispose of about $400. worth, 3 Silver.
	From		
	460	G.K. Withington & Co Boston	Requ. return of their bags.
		To	
	Do	689	Mint does not return bags &c to private depositors, but returned same to A.T., Boston.
		To	
	D.M.	690	Stating amt SB on hand, 14th inst.
		To	
	J. & W. Seligman & Co N.Y.	691	Requ. duplicate receipt for check's last sent.
		To	
	J.F.B. Litchfield Southbridge Mass	692	Reply to inquiries for books.

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To

Asst Supt Small 693 — Relative to disposal of 37 Silver pieces.
York Pa.

From Supt. Directing a reduction in the No. of female operatives in C.R. & Assn in Gent Dept at close of the present month.

19

To

J C Acton 695 — Requ. 2 iron pots for Gold Finishing in Refinery.
Supt A.D.M.

To

J Hillhouse 696 — Notice of chk $40,000. from
A.T. N.Y. — J & W Seligman & Co, N.Y.

To

J & W Seligman & Co 697 — Form above chk.
N.Y.

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From

Dr. Edwin #438, Dec — 461 E R Anthony — Form. 300 empty coin boxes.
Asst A.T. Cincinnati — Rate raised to 89¢ per 100 lbs.

From

462 J & W Seligman & Co — Form duplicate receipts for chks
N.Y. — sent 17th.

From

Files herein #464. — 463 D F Connell — Form 4 samples of ore for
Portsmouth O — separate assay.

From

Copy #463 — 464 Paul Reed Cash — Relative to above.
Portsmouth O

From

463 Mc Mitchell — Form ore for assay
St George, W Va

From

466 H Haas — Offering old coins
Chicago

To

Do. 698 — Declining above

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21 From

467 D.M. Asst Purchasing A.B.

From

Filed in #438 DM 468 Do — Encs letter A.T. Cincinnati to Asst Treas, referred to D.M. re increased freight on empty coin boxes.

From

Filed in #449. 469 T.D. Acton Supt Ao Mint — Acton order for 2 iron Gold Finishing Pots.

From

470 J.C. Thompson Mint Agt A & Co — Requ. tools for packing Silver.

From

471 J.W. Feltyman & Co N.Y. — Acton chk $40,000 Yo A.B. Balance (oz 3,000) (@ 121 3/4 will soon be sent.

To

DM 699 Acton order to cease Purchasing A.B.

To

Do 700 Encs Coine's report week ending 21st.

To

M. Mitchell St George W Va 701 Ore, trace of Pyrites.

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23 From
472 D.M. Immediately after 30th wants detailed statement SB purchased in April.

From
473 J.W. Seligman & Co N.Y. Form DB y/c sale @ 117 7/8

From
474 W Larrabee Clermont Iowa Form dft $1000. for subs below

To
Do — 702 Returning dft & form Circular

To
L H Scott Cash 703 Mint has ceased purchasing SB.
Chihuahua Mexico Returns in T.D. or bars could be sold.

To
D M 704 Rep amt SB on hand 21st.

24 To
D M 705 Regn. dft $500 sold for Refinery Expenses.

To
J Hillhouse 706 Notice of chks. below.
& N.Y.

To
J & W Seligman & Co 707 Form Chk No $17,076.39 in full and
N.Y. $30,000. on a/c DB

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25 From (Telegram)
473 T. C. Acton
Supt A&M Wy
Wants 25.000 @ 30 000 T.D.
for Dahnday's steamer.

From
476 O. A. Bosbyshell
Coiner
Charge for badges Am. & Mexican
War is actual cost, carefully determined

Filed in #496 Dec

From
477 W. Barber
Engraver
Above charge is as small as possible
and leaves Asso. a handsome profit.

26 From
478 N.D.M.
R.E. Preston
Has requested $500. gold, for
Refinery Expenses.

From
479 J. W. Seligman & Co
NY
Acknowledges $7,076.39 and $30,000
for S.B. Will coin and send oz 3300.

To
Do 708
Forwards chk $7,101.32 for S.B.
@ 117 7/8.

To
T. Hillhouse 709
A.T., N.Y.
Notice of above chk.

To
D.M. 710
Forwards G.D. $571.16 gold Refinery
Charges.

From
479½ O. A. Bosbyshell
Coiner
Present force in Coin Dept. fully
employed, and cannot be reduced
without serious injury to the service.

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27	From		
Filed Herein 503, 523.	480	D.M.	Requ to what point freight was paid on $10000. Silver sent to 1st Nat Bk, Santa Fe, N.M.
	From 481	Do	Forw copy letter J H Schirmer, Denver Mint, relative to purchasing Bullion there. Requ. M x R's opinion as to regulations therefor.
Filed together	From 482	J. C. Booth M x R	Reply to above.
	From 483	R W Taylor 1st Comptroller	Refinery A/c, dept 1st to Dec 1st 1876, adjusted.
	From 484	T. D. Acton Supt ad M.C.	Acton T.D. on Invoices #10 and #11. Requ. balance, 79¢, on #10-
	From 485	O. A. Bosbyshell Miner	Requ. appt. A Westermaier, special employé for 1 month @ $2-p.d., to teach use of Sykes Adjuster.
	From 486	J. W. Schermerhorn NY (Telegram)	Forw P.B. for 31,399.92 in full of Sales, both @ 121 3/4 & @ 117 7/8.
Filed in #463	From 487	Saml Reed Portsmouth, O.	Wants assays.
Filed in #502 1/2 Misc	From 487 1/2	H. Troemner Phila.	Offering to make and put up Balance for Deposit Room, with weights, for $1550.

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27		To	
	D. M.	711.	Freight on $10,000 silver for Santa Fe, paid to El Moro, Col, $212.40
		To	
	Do.	712	Forw Sketch $50. gold piece, and Engraver's letter.
		To	
	Do	713	Subm. special appt A Westermaier C. Dept, & forw Coiner's letter.
		To	
	Do	714	Returning letter A M Kenaday (left by D M in person) relative to price of badges, Assoc Vet Mex War with letters of Coiner & Engraver and requ. that K. be directed to take the dies away.
(Telegram)		To	
	J Reed Cash'r Portsmouth	716	Cannot make assays under 2 weeks. Inspection shows no traces of Gold.
		To	
	D. M.	717	Forw corrected statement Coiner's workings in Silver, March.
		To	
	Do	718	Announcing death of J S Lempren, Calculator of Deposits, and subm. appt. O. B Jones in his place.
		To	
	Do	721.	Forw. M. & R's letter relative to proposed purchase of Bat Denver.

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28	From		
	488	D.M.	Stock of Dubs. silver not to fall below certain limits. Coin to full capacity till Annual Settlement.
Filed herein #557	From		
	489	Do.	Forward Centennial Exhibit cabinet to D.M.
	From		
	490	Do.	Acct Apl 20 $371.16 Refinery Charges.
Filed herein #492, 510	From		
	491	Do.	Acknowg 150,000 D. for N.Y. A.C. and requ. M.&R.'s opinion on receiving "Standard" S.B. thereof
Filed in #491 D.M.	From		
	492	J.A. Booth M.&R.	Stating objections to so-called "Standard" Bullion.
	From		
	493	A.U. Wyman Treasurer U.S.	Tow draft $500. gold, Refinery Expenses.
	From		
	494	J.&W. Seligman & Co N.Y.	Acct Chk $7,101.32 a/c S.B.
	From		
	495	H. Russell Esq. Morristown N.J.	Tow $62.50 burned silver coin for currency.
	To		
	D.M.	723	Tow Coiner's report, week ending 28th inst.
	To		
	Do	724	Subm. appt Miss M.M. Yeager and Mrs M.J. Lowe, C. Dept, and incr. pd. E.L. Herring, M.&R. Dept.

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		To	
	D.M.	726	McTrocmner will furnish balances & weights for Dep. Rom (a) $1550. Inqu. if the contract shall be made.
30. Filed herein #476, 477.	From 496	D. M.	The claim of excessive charges on bags Annual Mex War, brought by him Monday to procure more without Payment, can not be allowed: but the dies cannot be returned. Under the rules, the work must be done on due payments
Further herein #485, Corner	From 497	Do	Appt. temporary appt. Adolph Westmaier, @ Dept.
	From 498	Do	Appt. appt. OB Jones, Calculator of Deposits, vice J. H. Simpson deceased, and forms blanks for official bond.
Further herein #506, 507, 596.	From 499	Do	Engraver to prepare dies for a $50. gold piece resembling D.E. (Adoption not probable.) Req opinions as to making it thin & concave.
	From 500	J. G. Hillan Ct., Washington	Asks $50,000. subs. silver T.O. #4579.
	From 501	J. A. Grier Asst Engineer, Mint	Req leave of absence, May 1 & 2. (Granted)
	From 502	J. A. Booth M&R	Cannot reduce force in M & R Dept without endangering efficiency.

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To

DW 727 Asks instructions for supply of TD. to NY AO, and objecting to any change in the regulations, which will admit so-called "Standard" bullion from the AO. Forw. M. & R's letter to same effect.

To

Do. 730 Rep forw DE and TD dies to Carson

To

Do. 731 Forw Coiner's report April.

To

Do 732 Forw. set Standard coin weights, and Froemmel's bill $18—

To

E Russell, Pkw 733 Forw PO order $6.40 value (less expenses) Morristown NJ $6.25 burnt coin.

To

DW 734 Rep amt $13 on hand

To

Do 735 Rep monthly Examination satisfactory. On hand $2,216,176.88

From

502½ DW. A Froemmel balance of the largest size to be procured for Deposit Room, and other balances transferred. Referring Cochran's improvement to Supt and M & R. for trial.

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1	From		
Filed in #480 D.M.	503	D.M.	Form bill 1st Nat Bk Santa Fe N.M., $152.80/100, transp. Silver coin, with directions for payment. (Notes of Cash. & Asst. Cr. on back)
	From		
Filed herein #519,520,	504	Do.	He ordered another Reyes Adjuster.
	From		
	505	O.C. Beebyekell Coiner	Suggesting improvements in Reyes Adjuster, to be incorporated in order for new one.
	From		
Filed in #499 D.M.	506	W.E. DuBois Assayer	Shinner & uncertainty applicable only to gold coins of $10. & under. $50. piece would give scope for fraud.
	From		
	507	W. Barber Engraver	Uncertainty no protection to $50. piece.
	From		
	508	J.L. Olmstead Cabinet	Resignation, to take effect June 1.
	From		
	509	D.E. Kayden Syracuse NY	Form gold coins for information.
	To		
	D.M.	738	Form oath O.B. Jones "Calculator of deposits." Bond soon.
	To		
	J.W. Seligman & Co NY.	739	Form Chks $33,621.83/100 & $3,636.14 in full for O.B. Notice error in wt bar #250.
	To		
	F. Hilgehouse NY	740	Notice of above checks.

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1		To	
	D.M.	741	Asks notice, order of 2d Loyes adjstr and requ. alterations made as suggested by Coiner. Details to-morrow.
		To	
	Do.	743	Rep, forw. dies to D.M.
2	From		
L. 502½ Dec	510½ D.M.		Approving proposal to order Scales & Wts for Dep. Room, from Taenner, @ $1.50
2	From		
Filed in #491, Dec	570 D.M.		Encl copy letter to Supt A.O. NY, declining to relax rule requiring A.O. to send only fine G.B.
	From		
Filed in 426½ Dec	571 Do.		Forw foreign coins for special assay. Pay $47.- to Pauste & Handy and charge in B.F. and B.L. Loss.
	From		
	572 Do.		Encl letter G.B. Soley, offering to sell back old Coining Press.
	From		
	573 Do.		Asks box coin Wts and Taenner's bill
	From		
	574 Do		Appr. appt. Miss M.M. Yeager and Mrs M.J. House, Adjusters, and incr. Pd. T.A. Herring, Dep. Melting Room
	From		
	575 J.C. Acton Supt AO NY		Rep. assay test coins April
	From		
	576 L.J. Heritage Cash Emporia Nat BK Emporia Kans.		Forw Dft $1000, for Subs, Silver. (Dft returned)

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	To	
M & R Assayer & Coiner	744	M & R report assay test coins April.
	To	
Ls Heritage & Co Emporia Kansas	745	Returning draft $1000, sent for Cubs. Silver
	To	
D. M.	1.	Form Mayor Coinage Statement April.
	To	
Mrs. E. H. Simpson Phila.	2	Notice of appt. Mrs M J Howe Adjuster.
	To	
Miss M M Yeager Phila.	3	Notice of appt. Adjustr.
	To	
H Traemner Phila.	4	Accepting offer for balance for Deposit Room.
	To	
D. M.	5	Engraver will make dies for $50. Piece. Form. letter Engr & Assayer relative thereto.
	To	
Do.	6	Form Statement S R purchases in April.
	To	
W. H. Snyder Cash'r Merchants' Nat Bk Galena Ill.	7	In reply to complaint $100 – shortage in shipment $1,000 – Silver. Mint delivered full amt to A. E. & Co. who forwarded it
	To	
D. M.	9.	Rep. form. Cabinet used for Mint Exhibit at Centennial.
	To	
Do.	10.	Advise notice, rule requiring only fine $ to form M & R will not be relaxed.

L. B. 18.

Letter of Apl 28 not on file. (Answ'd)

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3.	From		
Needhelm #548, 569	517	D.M.	Forw. order for 200 pr. fire-mitts for Denver Mint.
	From		
	518	Do.	Ackn. oath O B Jones "Calculator of deposits".
	From		
	519	Do.	Ackn. suggestions of improvements in Seyes Adjuster and requ. details.
Filed in #504 Dom	From		
	520	O C Boebyshell Coiner	Forw. diagrams and specifications called for above.
	From		
	521	J & W Seligman & Co NY	Ackn 2 cks a/c U.S.
In #510½ Dom	From		
	521½	H Troemner Phila.	Offer to furnish Balance & Weights for $1550 — (Approved by Supt)
		To	
	D.M.	11	Forw oath Nies M M Yeager adjuster.
		To	
	Do.	12	Forw Coiner's letter and details of improvements in Seyes Adjuster.
		To	
	Do.	13	Forw Coiner's report on Gill's Adjuster and returning letters relative thereto.
		To	
	Parker Handy & Co NY.	14	Forw $47. sold in paymt for foreign coins from D.M.
		To	
	D E Kayden Syracuse NY	15	Coin is of Tunis, 1858, = 50¢.
		To	
	D.M.	16	Forw Bullion & Coinage &c a/cs 1st qu. 1877.

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From 522	D. M.		Special instructions for the Annual Settlement.
From 523	Do.		Returning warrant duly signed 1st Nat Bk Santa Fe $ 132.59 transpn Subs Silver
From 524	Do.		Ordering 24 pairs quarter dollar dies for St.
From 525	Do.		Assn Minor Coinage State=ments, April.
From 526	Do.		Forw app bill J Morgan Special Engraver, April.
From 527	A.U. Wyman Treasurer U.S.		Notice of T.O. #4532, SB from A.O.U.S.
From 528	J.C. Booth M.R.		Forw reports Bullion Melting, April.
From 529	Fletcher & Sharpe Indianapolis		Forw 2 dimes for examination
From 530	J.P. Lesalle Baltimore		Inqu. cost of 250 oz Silver coined into Trades.
To			
W. Barber Engraver	17		Ordering quarter dollar dies for U.S.
To			
Fletcher & Sharpe Indianapolis	18		Dimes are genuine. "C.C."

F. Redheffer #556 Bal

F. Indm #480 Wms

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4			To	
		D.M.	19	Acku order, dies for S.F.
			To	
		Do.	20	Forw Mr R's report Bullion Melting, April.
			To	
		Do.	21	Acku. instructions for annual settlement.
			To	
		Do.	22	Forw oath Mr M. J. Howey Adjuster.
			To	
		Do.	23	Subm appt C. S. Durnall Labor in Gen Dept, at request of Sec. Sherman.
5	From			
	531	D.M.		Acku A/c's 1st qu. 1877.
	From			
	532	Do		Acku oath Miss M McYeager Adjuster
J. Redin 4/26½ bill	From			
	533	P. Handy N.Y.		Acku $47. sold in Payment for foreign coins.
			To	
		D.M.	24	Forw, requis. May, $20,000.
			To	
		Do.	25	Requ. $500. gold, Refinery Expenses.
			To	
		Do.	26	Forw. report Coinage week ending 5th.

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6		To	
	J. P. Lasdell Baltimore	27	Reply to inquiry about DB and F.D.
7	From		
	533 D.M.		Appr. appt. H. S. Durnall, Gen Dept.
	From		
	534 Do.		Advs. oath Mrs M J Hough, adjuster.
Filed in #442, Same	From		
	535 J Silfillan Washington		Requ Statement in B. F. Transcripts, of daily payments of "Transfer Letters."
	From		
	536 T C Acton Dept Agony		Forw DB, T.O. # 4532.
Filed in #426½ DMC	From		
	537 W E DuBois Assayer		Transm. Statement assay of foreign coins for D.M.
	From		
	538 E H de Roode Lexington Ky		Inqu if old Silver coin can be deposited for re coinage.
	From		
	539 J Rice Detroit Mich		Wants set of Silver coinage, struck in Gold.
		To	
	Do.	28	Cannot be done.
		To	
	H S Durnall Phila.	29	Notice of appt. Gen Dept.
		To	
	D.M.	30.	Forw Assayer's report of assay of foreign coins. Noting that Pces. of Austria & Australia "rocked".

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8. From 540 J. P. Lassell Baltimore — Forw $225. for Trades currency

From 541 J. W. Booth asso Cashr Union Nat'l Bk Rochester Minn — Forw dft $1,000. for subs. Silver.

To D.M. 31. — Forw oath H. D. Jewell, Gen. Dept.

To 32 J. W. Booth Cash'r Rochester Minn — Returning dft.

To J. P. Lassell 33 Baltimore — Mint does not sell TD for currency. Remittance left with Adams & Co.

9 From 542 D.M. — Before approving requis. May wants Statement of balances on hand in the several A/c's.

From 543 Do. — Has requested dft $500. Sold Refinery Expenses.

From 544 Do — Acpts report assay foreign Coins.

Filed in 426½ Dom

From 545 J. L. Schirmer Assayer Mint Denver — Forw unpaid bar $88.49 charges 1st qr 1877, for coinage & deposit.

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9 From
546 S W Adkins
Knoxville Tenn.
Draw ore for assay.

From
547 J B Fox
Camden N J
Wants $10. worth 3/ Silver redeemed.

To
DM 34 Reporting balances of various Accts may 1st.

To
J B Fox 35 Regulations regarding 3/ pieces.
Camden N J.

10 From
Feb in #517 Draw. 548 D. M.
Reducing paid for fine mills for Denver, to 100 pr., & asking price.

From
549 Do.
Acct oath of Journal, Gen. Dept.

From
550 T C Acton
Dept Acct
Acton sold coin Invoice #13.

To
DM 36 200 pr mills for Denver will be deliv'd next day. Price 85/.

May 1877.

11. From
551 D.M. Requis May approved @ $15,000. Nothing for Incidentals. In June draw for salaries exact amt to end of fiscal year.

Filed in #442. June

From
552 J Gilfillan
Ast Washington
In B/T transcript. do not give each Transfa Letter, but daily totals & 1st & last numbers.

Filed in #558

From
553 O.C. Basbyshell
Coinr
Rep. repairs needed and recommending purchase of a Poole's Grinding Machine for Rolls.

To
J Castelberg 37
Baltimore
Relative to payment for Silver deposit.

To
D.M. 38
Rep from 24 per 25 dies to 8.H.

12 From
554 A.M. Wyman
Treasurer U.S.
Form dft 4500 Refinery a/c.

From
555 S.H. Norman
Cash Nat Exchange Bk
Newport RI
Form dft 1200. - for new Minor Coins, and inqu. about issue of Dubs. Silver.

Filed in #562. June

May 1877.

12

To
D.M. 40 Forw report Coinage week ending 12th

To
S. H. Norman 41 Return five new Minor Coins,
Newport R.I. Regd. Asst Cust. Silver.

To
D.M. 42 Forw Coins rep. D. Workings April.

14 From
Filed in 556 D.M. Instructions to balance Acs on
#522 Dec June 30th and re-deliver no bullion
till the Acs are found correct.

Filed in From
#409 Dec 557 Do. Requ B/L of Medal Case sent 2d

To
J. T. Main 43 Cents 1857-8 have no extra value
Peoria Ill.

To
D.M. 44 Rep amt of B on hand 12th

To
Do 45 Forw B/L Case sent 2d

15 From
Filed in 558 A. Boschyshell Repairs ordered in accordance
#553 Dec Coiner with approval of report.

Filed together From
559 Do
From
560 { D. James, } Mint
{ A. W. Dominick } Ajax Centennial Coining
Press received and placed
in Coining Room.

May 1877.

16	From		
Filed herein * 568, DM	561	D.M.	Inqu. reason for division of Pay Rolls into "Regular" & "Minor Coinage."
	From		
Filed in * 555 Series	562	Dr Norman Newport R.I.	Requests return of $ft $200. Forw. "Specimen" fresh minor coin 1877 & inqu. how to get them.
	From		
	563	J Jordan Harrisburg Pa	Desires to sell 2 cases of coins.
15	From		
	560½	Brown & Owen Phila.	Stating prices of pipe &c.
		To	
	DM	46	Notice of resignation F L Olmstead Gen Dept, June 1st.
		To	
	Do	47	Forw C/D $ 87.82 favor J F L Schirmer Charges at Denver Intgn 1877
		To	
	J F L Schirmer Assays Mint Denver	48	Forw dupl C/D above.
		To	
	DM	49	Forw Ags April, Ord., Ref. and Cubic Coinage.
		To	
	Do	50	Ref. Coining Press rec'd from Morgan & Orr.
16	From		
	563½	H P Smith U.S.	Inqu. how to get Pattern Pieces Offering to place money in Supts Hands for confidential use!
		To	
	H Jones Coldwater O	51	No vacancy in Assay and Refining Dept's —
		To	
	D.M.	52	Minor C. Pay rolls kept separate under instructions in 1873. By Act of 1873. expense & distribution

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32+ of M.C. is to be met from M.C. Profits. Query, new Coinage necessary to meet expense of Redemption & Reissue?

To

D.M. Norman & Co. Newport R.I. 54 Returning off $200. Orders for M.C. filled in order of receipt. No new M.C. coinage likely for a time.

To

D.M. 56 Inqu. abt payt Bill of Hart $37.96 (last fiscal year) from Deficiency Approp.n

To

Jordan 57 Harrisburg Pa. Referring to coin dealers.

To

H.P. Smith 58 N.Y. No pattern pieces since 1873. Declining "Special arrangement!"

To

D.M. 59 Rep. from 200 pr fine mitts to Denver & encl. B/L and bill of W.B. Boyd $171.50

17

From

564 D.M. Acka notice resign. T.L. Olmsted

From

565 Do. Acka apps April.

From

566 H.K. Fulton Washington Making Gr.s Deposits.

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17		To	
	E. Balbach & Son Newark	60	Requested for receipt.
		To	
	Arnold & Noble NY	61	Do —
		To	
	A. S. Dennis & Son Newark	62	Do —
		To	
	R. Leymans & Son NY	63	Do —
		64–67	Statement of Receipts above.
18		To	
	J. & J. Myers Boston	68	Cannot take T.D. in exchange for M.C.
	From 567	Do —	Requ. how much M.C. can be had for 301 T.D.
Held in 561 Dem	From 568	Dell.	Consolidate Regular & M.C. Pay rolls July 1st. Make no M.C. till needed. Hold M.C. profits to meet expense of redemption & reissues.
Held in 567 Dem	From 569	Do.	Acts invoice 200 pc five mills Denver Mint. Bill referred.
	From 570	Do.	Bill of Pratt not heard before and not in Dep's. Bill
	From 571	Do	Bullion Ys 1st qr 1877 referred.
	From 572	A. U. Wyman Treasurer U.S.	Draw for $15,000, — Requis May.
	From 573	Geo. Hamilton Phila	Presenting Sale made by Director Rittenhouse.

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From 574	J Kinney & Buffalo N.Y.	Inqu if he can buy Gold of various fineness es.
From 575	L Lilley Cash Tecumseh Mich	Forw draft $1000 — for Subs. Silver
To		
D. Boutell 69 St Louis Mo		Cannot furnish new U.S.C. P.O. Order held for orders
To		
L Lilley cr 70 Tecumseh Mich		Returning draft.
To		
Do 71		Returning letter from Raleigh N.C. with Assayer's report: ore valueless.
To		
Do 72		Requ authority to exchange $5000. in notes for Subs. Silver, with Asst. Phila, for current expenditures.
To		
Do 73		Forw. bond O B Jones "Calculator" in Gen Dept.
To		
J Kinney 74 Buffalo N.Y.		Mint does not sell gold of various grades.
To		
Geo Hamilton 75 Phila		Asks Presentation of scales made by Director Rittenhouse, with reservation of right of removal.

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19		To	
	Dno	75	Forw report Coinage week ending 19th "
21	From		
	576 D.M.M.		Forw get $5,000. subs. silver for current use, get C/D and Transfer Letter.
	From		
	577 J.C. Acton Supt A.O., N.Y.		Forw report assay test coins May.
	From		
	577½ W. Bayles N.Y.		Requ. 3 pennies, 1875-6-7-
		To	
	M & R, Assayers & Comer	76	NY AO report assay test coins, May
22.	From		
	578 John Sherman Sec Treasury		Circular #68. Offices outside Washington to continue use of official Postage Stamps.
	From		
	579 A.D.M.M. R.E. Preston		Returning bonds of B. Jones for correction of title.
	From		
	580 J.S. Dater Brooklyn N.Y.		Various inquiries about cent coinage.
		To	
	Dor	77	Reply to above.
		To	
	A.M. Wyman Treasurer U.S.	79	Forw C/D $50000. for Transfer Letter, subs. silver (halves) for current business.

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22 To

D. M. 80 Rep. amt D.R. on hand 19th.

To

Do 81 Requ new blank bond for O.B. Jones.

To

E.W. Adkins 82 Assay of ore — Zinc with a
Knoxville Tenn title of A. & G.

24 From Supt. In reference to a donation of
land that will be necessary at the
closing the fiscal year.

23 From

581 A.M. Wyman 1st Asst Treasurer U.S. Notice of P.O. #4550, & R from A.O. N.Y.

From

582 J. Gilfillan A.T. Washington Asks $50,000 pubs. silver T.O. #4549.

From

583 J.A. Grier Mint Requ leave of absence on 28th inst.

From

583½ A.A. Boshzhell Coiner Relative to ventilation of cleaning room.

To

C.S. Dennis & Son 83 Declining bid for Sweeps.
Newark

To

R. Longman & Sons 84 Do —
N.Y.

To

E. Balbach & Son 85 Do —
Newark

To

Horace Mosle 86 Accepting bid for Sweeps.
N.Y.

To

D.M. 87 Forw P.D. $256.71 Refinery Charges.

May 1877.

24 From 584 D.M.C. — Dow blank bond for C.B. Jones—

From 585 Do— — Dow approved bill Morgan & Orr $69.88 hoisting & putting in place large Coining Press.

From 586 H.R. Doyle M.R. Dept — Requ leave of absence 24th—

From 587 (Telegram) Howard & Noble N.Y. — Bid for new lot sweeps, fine or 80 oz.

From 588 L.D. Bond Washington — Inqu. about a 59 piece of 1792 described.

To — Do— 89 — Reply. Experimental & very rare.

(Telegram) To — Howard & Noble N.Y. 88 — Offering 20 bbl. Sweeps additional [Answer above "587"]

(Telegram) To — Do— 90 — All sweeps in std. oz. Inqu. if they adhere to bid 11 9/10 $ per lb.

To — Do— 91 — Repeating above telegram and giving statement new lot.

25 From 589 D.M.C. — Dow request of Ramon Paez, N.Y. for information relative to Nickel Coinage asked in behalf of Govt. Venezuela

From 590 Do. — Acknd $20 $256.21 Refinery

May 1877.

25	From 591	J Crawford Supt Mint Carson	Ordering fire-tiles. Drawings enclosed, to be returned.
	From 592	J C Acton Supt Do my	Draw on B'n T.O. #4560.
	From 593	Do —	Willcox on B 25th for 50,000 T.D. and inquires as to late on B for 50,000 more can be rec'd (Memo'd Mint & Cashier, hereon.)
Rec'd in #587 Sacto	From 594	(Telegram) Conrad & Möhle N.Y.	No error in bid for Sweeps.
	From 595	J W Williams Lexington Ky	Desires information about (85) field piece 1798 — dug up —
	(Telegram) Conrad & Möhle N.Y.	To 93	Cannot accept bid 20 bbl Sweeps, First lot awarded to them.
	E Balbach & Son Newark	To 94	Draw statement 20 bbl Sweeps
	A L Denis & Son Newark	To 95	Do —
	R Longman's Sons N.Y.	To 96	Do —
	"Phila. Fire Brick & Clay Works" Phila.	To 97	Ordering tiles for Carson Mint.
	J C Acton Supt Do my	To 99	Send total O.B. for T.D. in May. $100,000. T.D. on hand & will be sent on report of Sullivan —

May 1877.

26	From 596 D.M.	In striking experimental 50. pieces try large Coining Press. Relief to be low.
	From 597 J.C. Booth M×R	Reply to inquiry relative to cost of Nickel Coinage (Venezuela)
Copied together and filed in * 589.	From 598 W. Barber Engraver	Do —
	From 599 O.C. Bockyshell Coiner	Do —
	From 600 Messrs Chubb & Co London, Eng.	Offering Crucibles for Miller's Chlorine Process.
Filed together Memm also ✕ 653.	From 601 J.C. Booth M×R	Noticing the above Process does not need Crucibles.
	From 602 W.L. DuBois Assayer	A sufficient supply of Crucibles on hand.
	To D.M. 100	Draw report Coinage, week ending 26th.

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28	From		
	603 D. Haven, Jr		Sent 3 nickel for opinion.
	A. Boston		
	From		
	604 L. Warriner		Wants Dollar coin redeemed
	Cash. 2d Nat Bank		in notes.
	Springfield Mass		
		To	
	Do.	101	Mint has no authority. Refer
			to Sec. Treas.
		To	
	D.M.	102	Returning inquiry of Ramon
			Paez, with replies of M.R.A.
			Engraver & Coiner on Nickel Coinage.
		To	
	J. Haven Jr	103	Nickel genuine but brittle. Returning
	of Boston		coined piece.
		To	
	D.M.	104	Rep. amt. @ B on hand 26th.
29		To	
	C.S. Dennis & Son	105	Accepting bid for Cents
	Newark		
		To	
	Horace Möhle	106	Declining do
	NY		
		To	
	R. Longman & Sons	107	Do
	NY		
		To	
	E. Balbach & Sons	108	Do
	Newark		
		To	
	W. Van Alstine	109	Ores galena, & pyrites
	Quaker's Bacon		
	Montgomery Co NY.		

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29		To	
	S B Rowe Clearfield Pa	110	Dates first issue various coins
31	From 605 D.M.		Forw bill Gallagher, trav. exp. to Washington & return.
	From 606 W Barber Engraver		Enqu how to get paid $6- for 2 specimen half dollars, & case.
	From 607 Do		Submitting Proof Piece new design, half dollar.
	From 608 W B Barnett Jacksonville Fla		Enqu about depositing foreign Silver coins.
	From 609 A W Kayes Boston		Enqu of $2.50 gold coins have been struck in 1877.
	(Telegram)	To	
	Treasurer U.S.	111	Difference between T.O. and letter of advice T.O. # 4557.
	A W Kayes Boston	To 112	A few $2.50's coined in 1877.
	D.M.	To 113	Forw copper half dollar with Engraver's letter.
	Do.	To 114	Forw report Assays, month of May.

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31		To	
	D.W.	115	Gov. Engraver's letter relative to bill #6, specimens + case.
		To	
	Do.	116	Reporting monthly examination satisfactory. On hand $1,966,392.27

June 1877.

1

From
610 Ramon Paez
N.Y.

Form "in centavo" of Venezuela and inqu. composition.

Filed together in #589 Desk

From
611 J. J. Cisco
NY

Introducing Mr. Paez.

From
612 W. P. Kirk
Mint.

Requ leave, June 1–9.

To
Ramon Paez
N.Y. 118

Stating composition & assay of Centavo.

To
DM 120

Form Ord Apr May. Requ. attention to Requisition.

To
Do. 121

Form Requisition June.

2

Filed herein #629, 636,

From
613 D.M.

Acku. & returning specimen half-dollar. Make as many P.D. as possible, before Settlement.

Herein #606, 623,

From
614 Do.

Engraver to send bill for specimen half dollars & case.

From
615 J. Gilfillan
A.T., Washington

Acku $30,000. Silver, T.O. #4557.

From
616 Geo. Thompson
Mint Agt, Adams & Co.

Desires Treas. U.S. to give full address in ordering shipments.

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2

From 617	C. S. Dennis & Son Newark	Will call 4th inst.
From 618	A Creelman Selma Ala	Inqu if 1/ tokens can be made,
To		
J C Acton Supt Money	123	Acton J10-ay for 1/ pieces. No new ones on hand.
To		
Do	124	Forw Minor Coinage Statements May.
To		
Do	125	Forw Engraver's bill for specimens & case, J6-
To		
A Creelman Selma Ala	126	Tokens are illegal,
To		
Do	127	Forw report Coinage week ending 2d inst
To		
Do	128	Repeant J/B on hand,
To		
Do	129	Forw letter G Thompson, Ala requesting full address in Treasurer's Orders,

June 1877.

4 From
619 D.M. Actn Ord a/c May

From
620 Do. From approved bill Geo Morgan May

From
621 T Acton Dupt a/c NY Actn DE & FD, Invoices #15 and #16.

From
622 J M Coope Louisville Ky From Silver coin $600 - for Dep and Paymt in Gold.

To
Do. 131 Purchas of SB suspended. Dep. held for orders.

5 From
620 D.M. Actn Engravers bill $6 —

From
624 A K Shoff Montzdale Pa From Minerals for examination.

From
625 M H Swift Ottawa Ill. Inqu relative value old Silver dollars and present Subs Coinage.

To
D M 132 From A/c's Refinery and Subs-Coinage, May.

To
M H Swift 133 Stating weight & intrinsic value Silver Coins.
Ottawa Ill.

To
A K Shoff 134 Minerals are iron ores.
Montzdale Pa

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6 (Dakotah July)	From 626	D.M.	Instructions relative to deposits & Refining Charges before Settlement.
	From 627	Do	Requis June appn $31,581.53 exhausting Contingent Fund.
	From 628	Do	Acct of $998.20 old materials.
D. to Coin #613 Dec	From 629	M.H. Cobb Cashier	Cannot make $20 before Settlement without overtime, stating stock needed in Subs Silver, & Gold.
	From 630	J.C. Booth M&R	Estimate of expenses to end fiscal year.
In #613 Dec	From 631	O.C. Boobyshell Coiner	Present demand will allow no reduction, except perhaps 10 (a) 15 Adjusters.
	From 632	M.B. Copeland & Co Middletown Conn	Forw draft $1,000 for subs. Silver.
Herein #677	From 633	J.F. Rose Columbus Texas	Inqu what Mint gives for Mexican Silver coin.
	From 634	J.D. Shotwell Teller Bowery & B'k, NY	Inqu if new minor C. can be had.
	From 635	W.F. Wright Walhalla SC	Notice of G. dep sent in reg'd letter.

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6		To	
	J D Shotwell NY	135	No new Minor Coon land.
		To	
	W F Wright Walhalla SC	136	G. dep too small. Ast Asp. will sell for greenbacks.
		To	
	M B Copeland Middletown Conn	137	Returning aff for Rubs Silver
		To	
	D M	138	Relative to reduction of force. Forw letters M & R, & Comm. of April 26 & 30.
		To	
	Do	142	Forw P/D $121.22 Refinery charges. Asks instructions relative thereto.
7		To	
	D. M.	143.	Forw new bond and oath etc, A B Jones, Deposit Clerk.
		To	
	G D Harder Printytown Md.	141	"Ore" is slate.
8 Filed in 613 Doc	From 636	DM	Make as many P.D. as possible before Settlement, for NYA0 — but carry none over. Notify Supt. Aston of number thereof. No SB purchases till after Settlement. Encl letters of Seligmans & Hanover.
	From 637	Do	And as April & May referred.

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From
688 DNM — Acknr Refining & Subs Coinage Apr May.

From
689 Do — Acknr a/c D $121 II Refining charges.

From
640 Do — Returning G Morgan's bill, trav. exp., for receipt.

To
D.N.M. 145 — Returning G Morgan's bill, duly receipted.

To
Do 146 — Relative to coinage of T.D. before Settlement. Returning letters of Delmans & Handy.

To
J.C. Acton Capt. a.o.m.y. 148 — Relative to above subject.

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From (Telegram)
641 DNM — Telegraph Delmans if they can send coarse QB for TD.

From (Telegram)
642 Do. — Accept Delmans QB. if it can be refined.

From
643 Do. — Lays demand for T.D. makes reduction in Adjustes inadvisable.

From
644 Do. — Bond & O.B. Jones read and referred to Solicitor Treasury.

Together 641, 642, 643, 644.

Herein #631.

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9	From (Telegram) 645 A.M. Wyman Treasurer U.S.		Remail to N.Y. Mint, order mis sent. (Already returned to Treas.)
Herein, Same 650, 1, 660, 679 682, 7, 694, 700 705	From (Telegram) 646 J. & W. Seligman & Co N.Y.		Notice of P.B. for 100,000 Trades, by 15th inst.
	From 647 W. L. Watson Cashier 1st Nat'l Bank Pittston Pa.		Wants 3/3 5/ Silver redeemed.
		To A.M. Wyman Treasurer U.S. 150	Returning T.L. #744 on 87. Mint, mis sent.
		To DNW 151	From report Coinage, week ending 9th inst.
	(Telegram)	To J. & W. Seligman & Co N.Y. 152	Cannot take coarse P.B.
		To DNW 153	Has informed Seligmans, M&R cannot take any but fine P.B. at this time.
11	From 648 DNW		Regue Coinage Statements for June & year, immed'ly on closing
	From 649 A.M. Wyman Treas, U.S.		From dft. Requis. June 1

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11	From		
	650	J. W. Seligman & Co NY. (Telegram)	Will send on 13th Q.B. of 80,000 for 100,000 F.D.
	From		
	651	Do	Inquire how many F.D. they can have.
	From		
	652	P. Handy NY.	Sends Q.B. of 25,807.2 for F.D. Will send more shortly.
	From		
	653	Morgan Crucible Co London Eng.	Stating prices of apparatus for Miller's Chlorine Process.
	From		
	654	F. Barnard Atlanta Ga	Wants a History of the Mint.
	From		
	655	H. D. Dillaye Syracuse N.Y.	Inquires if Prospects of back years can be had
		To	
		Do — 154	Prospects of current year only, furnished by Mint.
		To	
		DM 155	Will furnish Coinage Statements on closing as desired.
		To	
		F. Barnard 156 Atlanta Ga	Referring to publishers of Pamphlet description of Mint.
		To	
	(Telegram)	J. W. Seligman & Co NY 157	Will buy and give F.D for 50,000 oz fine; none for coarse.
		To	
		DM 158	Rep. amt. Q.B. on hand.

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From
656 R. M. McCormick, Asst Dep Treas — Requ. detail of hands to aid in transferring redeemed Minor Coin from Ex Co to Sub Treasury Phila.

From
657 DMC — Mint legally bound to receive coarse CB. Refusal of Deligmans shd have been explained as an act of Settlement.

From
658 Do — Form order from Carson Mint for 5 days.

From
659 W Barber, Engraver — Desires explanation of above order.

From
660 J. W. Seligman & Co NY — Form coarse CB & notice of mor & of fine. DMC permitted shipment of coarse & promised 100,000 $.

From
661 P Handy NY — Form CB of 30,074 $ for J.D.

To
J. W. Seligman & Co NY 659 — Will do the best possible, but probably part of the CB must remain over till after Settlement.

To
DMC 161 — Explaining correspondence with Seligmans relative to CB for J.D.

To
Do. 164 — Asks order for days for Carson. Explanation asked from Supt. Crawford.

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12			To	
	J. Crawford Supt Mint Carson		165	Req explanation of order for discs.
13	From			
	662	D.W.		Bond of C.B. Jones approved and filed.
	From			
	663	J. Gilfillan A.T. Washington		Asks subs driver T.O. # 4580
	From	Telegram		
	664	J.C. Conn Supt Army		Wants 6,000 more T.O.
	From			
	665	J.C. Booth M.R.		Forw reports Milling, May.
	Telegram		To	
		J.C. Conn Supt Army	166	Can send 2 D.
			To	
		D.W.	167	Asks order 2 Life Saving Medals 1st Class.
			To	
		Do	168	Forw M.R's reports, May.

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14	From		
J. Dodge * 641	666	D.M.C.	Remarks relative to Seligmans' bids not intended to interfere with the Settlement.
	From		
J. Woolverton * 672½	667	Do	Regu. Statement Additions to B.T. Jan 14, 1875 – June 30, 1877: also of Subs Silver Transfers to Treasurer.
	From		
	668	Do	Refinery & Subs Coinage Ofs Apr & May, referred.
	From		
	669	Geo Eyster AT Phila.	Mr Thompson (N.Y.) will call on Supt. for hands to transfer Minor Coin to Subtreasury.
	From		
J. * 646	670	J. & W. Seligman & Co N.Y.	Forw 34 bars fine Ag. for T.D.
	From		
Hereon * 802	671	H.G. Ferris Pres Hancock Co Nat Bk Carthage Ill.	Claiming Shortage $31.25 on Shipment $1,000 Subs. Silver, recd with seals broken.
		Do — 169	Must not accountable for above.
		D.M. 171	Asks. request for B.T. Statements and regu. fuller instructions.
15	From		
Hereon * 681	672	D.M.	Forw $. 23 92 Gold for deposit in favor of J.D. Defrees —
	From		
	673	J.D. Wilson Cash. Peoples Nat Bk Martinsburg W. Va	Forw $120 — in 3's Silver, for redemption.

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To

J R Wilson Cash. 173 — Shipment of $3? silver left with Co. Not redeemable.
Martinsburg W. Va.

To

D.M. 170 — Regu. instructions as to detailing men to transfer Minor Coin from Co. to Subtreasury, as directed by Asst. Sec. Treas.

From

673½ J. & W. Selyman & Co. N.Y. — Tow (through Balbach) NB for T.D. — oz. 20,313 25/100

16 From

D. Cedrin #667. 673½ Dole. — Statement of Dub. Silver transfers & include all shipments on Treasurer's order.

From

D. Wolheim #680. 674½ B.F. Chatham Cash. Phila Nat BK — Dep. "Gold" Vase.

From

675½ J.C. Booth M.T.R. — Tow reports for June, of Bullion Operations.

To

D.M. 178 — Tow M.T.R's reports for June.

To

B.F. Chatham 179 Cash. Phila Nat BK — "Gold" vase is Silver. Regu-instructions.

To

D.M. 180 — Tow Coinage reports for week, month, & fiscal year.

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From

674 DM — Detail of laborers to Sub Treasury not to interfere with Mint work.

From

675 Do. — Regu. Adjuster's Balance and weights sent to D.M.'s office.

From

676 Do. — Ordering 1 D and 1/2 D dies for S.F., which complains of "inferior steel".

From

677 J.F. Rose, Columbus Texas — Inqu. value of Mexican Dollar etc.

From

677½ A. Meadows, Brombrópool, England — Regu. Medal circular.

To

DM 181 — Forw. draft favor J.D. Defrees, for G. deposit.

To

J.F. Rose, Columbus Texas 183 — Reply to inquiries.

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From (Telegram)

678 J. Crawford, Supt Mint Carson — Giving radius of discs ordered.

From

679 O.A. Bosbyshell, Coiner — Forw. Statement of Settlement and regu. notice whether it is satisfactory, to inform his retiring bondsman.

From

680 J.M. Gregg, Asst Cashr Phila Nat Bk — Regu. that "Gold" vase be held for orders from owner.

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19		To	
	DM	185	Forw Adjuster's balance & weights
		To	
	J P Fitzwater Texas, W. Va.	186	Minerals are Sulphide of Iron.
		To	
	J B Ogden & Co N.Y.	187	Mint closed, & cannot receive Dft.
		To	
	DM	188	Rep forw dies to S.F. on ap of last order, & steel same as used here.
20	From		
dn #677	681 GDM. R E Preston		Ackn Cht for 6 dep. J2 Defrees.
	From		
dn #646.	682 Jos W Seligman & Co N.Y.		Forw 19 coarse bars and subsidiary of oz 50,000 fine, & B for 22.
Redeposit #688, same	From 683 J F Merrill Cash Foxburg Sav. Bk. Foxburg Pa.		Forw Dft 1,500. for Minor C. & dimes.
	From 684 J W Moon Bellefonte Pa		Sign value of "virgin" Gold.
	From 685 E J Shriver Cash 1st Nat Bk Cumberland Md		Forw dft 1,000. for Subs. Silver.
		To	
	Do	190	Returning dft.
		To	
	J F Merrill Cr Foxburg Pa	191	Do — for amendment of order.
		To	
	DM	192	Forw bill re relative to Adjusting machine.

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21 From
686 A.D.M.
R.E. Preston
Asks Adjusting Balance and weights.

In #675

From (Telegram)
687 J.& W. Seligman & Co N.Y.
Inqu. when they can leave P.O.

In #646

From
688 J.F. Merrill Cashr Foxburg Pa
Amending order for Minor Coins.

Filed in #683 same

To
G.S. McCarter 193 Paterson N.J.
Advs. Oft. 15. for 17 pieces, held for further instructions.

22 From
689 A.D.M.
R.E. Preston
Requ. Mint to receive & store Leavy Adjusting Machine, from Custom H. Bill freight to be pd from appropn Reds Silver Coinage.

From
690 Do.
Advs. Eagle (877).

From
691 Do.
Ordering 40 pr TD dies for Carson. Forw. Snaps, Obverse dies.

From
692 G.M. Adams Clerk H. Rep. U.S.
Forw. documents for Library

From
693 G. Thompson Agt Adams & Co
This rudoffice not responsible for shortage of $31.30 Reds Silver, claimed by 1st Nat Bk St Peter, Minn.

In #646.

From
694 J.& W. Seligman & Co NY
Requ. as an exceptional favor fill returns in P.O. for all C.B.

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22 From

695 G. L. Marchand, Louisville Ky. — Wants to sell ½ Eagle 1800.

To

Do. 194 — Declining above.

To

W. A. Smith, E. Atkinson Wis. 195 — No gold in Pennies 1857-8.

To

J. W. Seligman & Co. N.Y. 196 — Notice of Shipment 13,619 $, last payment till resumption in July. Can make no exceptions, nor receive any more $. Coarse bars not very bad

To

J. T. Moore, Bellefonte Pa. 200 — Stating value of pure Gold.

To

A. U. Ryman, Treasurer U.S. 201 — Relative to shortage claimed by 1st Nat'l Bk, St Peter, Minn.

To

E. Balbach & Sons, Newark N.J. 204 — Form Statement of Sweeps

To

A. S. Dennis & Son, Newark 205 — Do —

To

Conrad & Möhle, N.Y. 206 — Do —

To

A. W. Spear, N.Y. 207 — Do —

To

R. Longman & Sons, N.Y. 208 — Do —

Note. Letter suppressed by Treas. June 19/77 as internal Treasm. &c. see 1075 &c.

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25	From		
	696	R.M. Taylor 1st Comptroller	Ord Apr 1st qu 1877 adjusted.
	From		
	696½	E.T. Shriver Cash't Cumberland Md	Acknl. letter returning dft.
25	From		
	697	T.C. Acton Supt AO NY	Forw report test coins June.
	From		
	698	O.C. Boebyshell Coiner	Requ appt W.S. Steel Asst Coiner pro tem.
	From		
	698½	Chas. Mayo Coiner Milwaukee	Forw'd Ch't of AO
		To	
	M.R. Ly Assayer & Coiner	209	R.Y.A.O. report test coins, June.
		To	
	D.M.	210	Rep. amt OB on hand.
		To	
	A.D.M. R.E. Preston	211	Rep forw dies to Carson on Apr.
		To	
	Do.	212	Subm appt W.S. Steel Acting Coiner pro tem.
26	From		
In #676 Ocm	699	W. Barber Engraver	Relative to quality of T.D. dies in reply to D.M. & S.F. Encl. letter A.W. Dominy & Dept.
	699½		
	From		
In #676.	700	J. & W. Seligman & Co NY.	Relative to loss in melting coarse bars; requ. return of remainder, and inqu. when fine bars will be received.

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26		To	
	J. W. Feltman & Co. N.Y.	213	O.K. was mailed as a whole, and that part not settled for cannot be returned. Part was under 800!— Fine bars now on books.
		To	
	Do—	214	Noting errors in invoice weights of 6 bars.
		To	
	Dow	215	Dow reports, Coiner's Gold Workings Apl, May & June & Silver, May & June
		To	
	Do.	216	Dow letters of Engraver and Ald Downing, on quality of TD dies.
27	From		
701	T. C. Acton Supt A.O. N.Y.		Dep. for T.D. fast increasing— Inqu. when Mint can receive them.
	Telegram	To	
	D. S. Dennis & Son Newark	217	Bids for specs accepted. Requ. immediate payment.
		To	
	Do—	218	Repeating & Explaining above,
		To	
	Dow	219	Dow Opd $1,195.88 Refinery Charges.
		To	
	T. C. Acton Supt A.O. N.Y.	220	Instructions regarding Subs. Silver Coinage, will allow very little in T.D. before August.

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28	From		
Herein 702	702	ADM R E Preston	Forw copy letter Supt Aony and inqu. how many TD can be made in July without interfering with Subs. Silver coinage.
	From		
	703	Do	Appn. appt. 71 Steel Aors Coiner pro tem.
	From	(Telegram)	
	704	Do	Inqu. approx. Gold wastage fiscal year.
	From		
In 646.	705	Jos W Seligman & Co NY.	Inqu when they can get TD.
	From		
In 657 June	706	Parker Handy NY.	Wants large amt. TD. by July 15th, for dep. already in AO.
	From		
	706½	A Ht La Grange Supt Mint SF.	Forw. assay coins 2d qu. 1877.
		To	
		ADM 721 R E Preston	Possibility of coining TD in July dependent on demands for Subs. Silver, & Completion of repairs.
		To	
		J D Acton 724 Supt AO, NY.	Do —
		To	
		R Seligman's Sons 726 NY	Declining bid for Sweeps.
		To	
		Howard & Möhle 727 NY.	Do —
		To	
		A W Spear 728 NY.	Do —
		To	
		E Balbach & Son 729 Newark	Do —

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To		
J. W. Seligman & Co. N.Y.	230	Relative to possibility of making TD in July.
To		
P. Handy N.Y.	232	Do —
Telegram To		
A.D.M. R.E. Preston	234	Approx. Gold wastage.
To		
J.B. Wilson Ch. Martinsburg W.Va	235	Report of Minor Coinage for redemption Silver coins not redeemable held for orders.
To		
J.C. Abbott Coll. Wilmington N.C.	236	Forw. C/D $977.77 light gold received.
To		
D.M.	237	Approximate Statement Profit & Loss a/c. Wastage about $6,191.21
To		
J. Nazro Coll. Milwaukee	240	Forw. C/D $197.58 light gold received.
To		
D.M.	241	Forw. Statement in settlement of Coiner's a/c Jan.-June 1877 and Copy of Coiner's letter.

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29 From
707 ADM
R E Preston
Acct A/D $1,195.88 Refinery Charges.

From
708 J Arnold & Co
N. Manchester, Ind.
Forw C/D $1000 - for Subs. Silver.

From
709 O Ballard Jr, Cash
pt N.B. Circleville, O.
Notice of remittance $1000 for Subs Silver.

From
710 Munn & Co
NY
Inqu. if "Ultimate Reducing Process" is used at the Mint -

To
J Arnold & Co 242
N. Manchester, Ind.
Returning C/D $1000 -

To
ADM 243
R E Preston
Forw Requis. July $34,500 - and requesting prompt remittance

To
Do. 246
Requ. $500. sold Refinery A/c

To
DM 247
Forw A/D $2,158.09, unexpended bal. Wages Appropn 1876-77.

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30	From		
	711	A Dow R E Preston	Make 350,000 T.D in July, but do not interfere with Subs. Coinage. No Transfers to A. T. for in July.
	From		
	712	Do	Coiner's Statement in Settlement rec'd & highly satisfactory.
	From		
	713	Do	Requ telg. Statement amt Silver Profits that can be covered into Treasury.
	From		
	714	R W Tayler 1st Comptroller	Refinery Acc 1st qu 1877 adjusted.
	From		
	715	O C Bosbyshell Coiner	Nom. Mrs B F Matthews and Mrs M J Reese, Adjusters.
	From		
	716	G H Bender Mint	Rep. amt Redeemed and Exchanged Minor Coins
	From		
	717	G C Thompson Mint Agt A & Co	Recom. that Minor C. boxes rec'd at Sub Treasury be sent to Mint to Melt Subs. Silver in.
	From		
	718	J H Purdy & Co Chicago	Reqn if returns for P B can be made in any coin besides T.D.

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30	Telegram	To	
	DM	248	Stating approx. amt. Silver Profits, $750,000, of which $316,000 is in coin & can be covered in –
		To	
	a DM	249	Forw copy letter G.A. Thompson Asst Sy relative to Minor Coins.
	R.E. Preston		
		To	
	Munn & Co NY	250	Process mentioned not in use.
		To	
	J. Crawford Supt Mint Carson	251	Forw invoice & bills tiles, from W.J. O'Brien –
		To	
	DM	253	Forw Minor Coinage Statements for June.

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From
719 A. D. M. R. E. Preston — Requ. complete list pd. employes in order of Pay Roll.

From
720 Do. — Acks C/D unexpended bal. Wages, and Medal profits.

From
721 Do. — Forw bill E R Elliott expenses on Assay Com. 1876 & 1877.

From
722 Do. — Has requested dep. and transfer to BT. $300,000 - Silver Profits.

From
723 A. U. Wyman Treas. U.S. — Forw C/D and T.O. as above.

From
724 O. C. Boebyshell Coiner — Forw his Bond and affidavits.

From
725 W. N. Jeffers Chief Bureau of Ordnance Navy Dept — Wishes old Silver pressure-disks re-made to different size. (Mem. of M. & R. herein.)

From
726 J. C. Abbott Coll'r Wilmington N.C. — Acks C/D $ 77.77 light gold received.

To
D. M. 254 — Subm. appt. Mrs. B. F. Matthews and Mrs. M. J. Reese, Adjusters, and forw. letters from Coiner.

To
Do. 255 — Forw for endorsement & return draft $100. from State Central Bank, Waco, Tex., for Minor Coins - drawn to order D. M.

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2.		To	
	John Sherman Sec. Treasury	356	Forw Requis. Stationery &c., ending 31 Dec 77 – with Samples.
		To	
	A U Wyman Treasurer U S	357	Forw DO and C/D $300,000 Silver Profits transferred to B.F.
		To	
	J & Purdy & Co Chicago	358	Subs. Silver made only for Govt. Dep's. paid in T.D. or Bars.
		To	
	W H Jeffers Ordn. Bureau, Navy Dept	359	Hillmatco pressure disks desired.
		To	
	D.M.	360.	Forw Bond & Oath of O.C. Boothill Coiner, and affidavits.
3	From (Telegram)		
	727. A.D.M. R.E. Preston		Coiner's bond approved.
	From		
	728. Do.		Balances of approp'ns Refinery and Mfg Subs Silver, to be kept and used in new fiscal year.
	From		
	729 Do		Forw bill F. Eckfeldt expenses attending Settlement.
	From		
	730 Do		Acker C/D's, coin & cy., Medal Profits.
	From		
	731 Do		Requis. July $34,500. approved and made Specials.
Filed together.	From		
	732 Do.		Warrant Div. Promises dft. for Requis. this week.

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From

738 Parker & Handy N.Y. 3 to 4 hund. thous. T.D. will be needed in July. Desirous about prospects.

From

734 S.R. Brockett Lowell Mass Forw. order H.R. Bros for payt of his Gold dft May 18, and requ. P.O. Order.

To

D.M. 261 Certif. from Supt & Assayer, of inspection of weights.

To

Do. 262 Forw. above.

To

A.D.M. R.E. Preston 263 Forw. warrants E.B. Elliott's bills expenses Assay Com. '76-'77, and returning bills for Amendment.

To

Forw. warrant F. Eckfeldt's bill expenses at Settlement.

To

P. & Handy N.Y. 265 Will make all the T.D. possible.

To

J.H. Smith Baltimore 267 A. Bros. Co. can dispose of T.D. for him.

To

D.M. 268 Forw. Balance Sheets, Profit & Loss &c. Requ. speedy adjustment in order to payment of Loss from Ord. Acc. and Settlement of the latter.

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4 From
735 A.D.M.W. R.E. Preston — Bond of Coiner approved and referred.

From
736 Do. — Appt. appl. Mrs Matthews & Mrs. Reese, adjusters.

From
737 Do. — Napier Weighing Machine to be forwarded to S.F.

From
738 Do. — $300. to be advanced on Refinery a/c

From
739 Do. — Asst Minor Coinage Statements for June & fiscal year.

From
740 Stationery Div. Treas. Dept. — Returning Requis. for Stationery for amendment.

5 From
741 A. Boebyshell Coiner — Notice of another Sayes Adjuster being en route to N.Y. and suggesting notice to N.Y. to prevent delay this

To
D.M. 270. — Explaining deposit of Refinery charges, $218 46 in excess of actual charges to June 20th

To
Mrs M.J. Reese (Phila.) 272 — Appointment as Adjuster.

To
Mrs R.F. Matthews (Phila) 273 — Do.

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5. To

DM 274 Reporting death of H. Long, A Dept. June 9th.

To

Do. 275 Subm increase in pay J. M. Evans Gen Dept from $5. to $55.00 July 2d

To

S. R. Brockett 276 Cannot make payment for G. dep. of
Lowell Mass $1.25 Cwt, except on return of C/D duly endorsed.

To

DM 278 Daily Statements of Coin transfers Jan 14, 1875. to June 30, 1877 — and various Statements, last fiscal year.

To

Do 279 Silver change needed. Suggesting utilization of $10,330.49 due on Coinage charges.

To

A DM 281 Notice of Second Keyes Appointed
R. E. Preston en route to N.Y.

6 From

742 A. D. M. Forwarding letter from Att'ee French,
R. E. Preston A.T. Phila will deliver to Mint Coinboxes not needed, on applicat

From

743 Do — Gold dft will be sent to cover from Refinery Apt to B.F. Mint's Gold Wastage. Loss on Sweeps and Coiner's Wastage to be p'd from Contingent Fund.

From

744 Do. Ordering for Asst. Sec. Treas. set of pattern pieces, half dollars.

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From		
745	A.D.M. R.E. Preston	Wants Statements of Medals and Dies made in fiscal year.
From		
746	Do.	Returning, signed, bills of E.B. Elliott, Assay Com.
From		
747	Do.	Returning Warrant, F. Eckfeldt, Expenses at Settlement.
From		
748	Do.	Forw bill Geo. Morgan, June
From		
749	Treasurer U.S.	Forw dft $34,500 - Requis. July
From		
750	Do —	Forw $ 8 1/2 in 3/4 Silver for dep-
From		
751	H.N. Jeffers Asst Bureau Navy Dept.	Forw 104 Silver pressure disks.

	To	
W. Barber Engraver	282	Requ Statement dies and hubs made in last fiscal year.
	To	
O.C. Bosbyshell Coiner	283	Requ Statement medals made in last fiscal year.
	To	
A.D.M. R.E. Preston	284	Forw $82.37 for E.B. Elliott and F. Eckfeldt.
	To	
T.D. Acton Supt A.A. N.Y.	285	Repairs completed. Ready to receive S.B. for T.D.
	To	
D.M.	286	Forw a/cs Refinery & Mfg Subs Silver June. Requ. as to manner of paying Loss a/c from Contingent Fund

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6.		To	
	J Gilfillan 287 Treasurer Ofs		Requ T.O. $69690 Minor Coins reissued.
		To	
	John Sherman Sec Treas 288		Trs amended Requis Stationery, and Inventory stock on hand.
7.	From		
	752	A.D.M. R.E. Preston	Amt due on Coinage charges, to be transferred to B7 by C/D & T.O. Silver for change to be obtained by dep. of ag. and C/D & T Letters as before.
	From		
	753	Do-	Error by excessive dep. on Refinery a/c. can be corrected in next quarter, Refinery Appropn not kept by the year.
	From		
	754	Do —	Can do nothing to set Reyes adjuster through Custom House, till B/L is received.
	From		
	755	Do —	Appn. increased pay Dr Evans.
	From		
	756	Do-	Noting death W Long & Supt.
	From		
	757	Do —	Asks various Statements.
	From		
	758	J Gilfillan Treasurer Ofs	Trans $131.68 in 3% 5%, & foreign silver.
	From		
	759	J & W Seligman & Co N.Y.	Trans 57 bars fine S/B for T.D.
	From		
	760	C L Case Jamestown N.Y.	Inqu if coins of new design are to be issued.

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7 From
761 R Shaw Jr
Clearfield Pa
Trans. minerals for exam.

To
Ofc La Grange 289 Trans B/L Napier Assorter from
Supt Mint S.F. on 5th.

From
A L Case 290 Relative to alleged changes in
Jamestown NY devices.

To
A.D.M. 292 Trans triplicate B/L Napier
R.E. Preston Assorter sent S.F.

To
R Shaw Jr 293 Mineral is Pyrites.
Clearfield Pa

To
Ofc La Grange 294 Acku assay coins 3d qr '77.
Supt Mint S.F.

9 From
762 A.D.M.
R.E. Preston
Asgn what part of the loss on
Dimes was on M. & K's Gold Dimes.

From
763 Do.
Acku. Yrs June Reg and Mfg. Bullion
Silver; and report of Medals to. 2d qr '77

From
764 Do—
Acku. $82.27/100 for E.B. Elliott
& F. Eckfeldt.

From
765 W. Barber
Engraver
Delivering 11 pattern pieces.
One of Morgan's dies broken.

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From
766 O.C. Bosbyshell, Coiner — Forw. statement medals made fiscal year 1876-77.

From
767 G.W. Lance, Cave, Ark. — Inqu. charge for ore assay.

To
ADM 295 — Forw 11 pattern half dollars and bill $5.50
R.E. Preston

To
G.W. Lance, Cave, Ark 296 — Stating rules for ore assay.

To
ADM 297 — Forw statements of Medals and Dies made 1876-77.

To
W.N. Jeffers, Ordn. Bureau Navy Dept 298 — Can send part of the new pressure disks in 2 weeks.

To
ADM 300 — Will furnish list of employés shortly.

To
J.W. Feligman & Co, NY 301 — Asks D.B. for T.D. Returns shortly.

To
DM 302 — Stating loss on Mint's Gold Sweeps.

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From
768 A.D.M. R.E. Preston — Forw copy letter Supt A.O. alg. inqu- about T.D. coinage, and stating reply that it will depend on Subs. Coinage -

From
769 Do. — Requ. statements M+R's settlement, and reports dep. purchases + bars, since Nov. and for year.

From
770 Do. — Refinery + Subs. Coinage Yes June referred.

From
771 J. Gilfillan Treasurer M.S. — Forw $ 23.85 in 3/ and 5/ Silver.

From
772 J.C. Booth M+R — Forw. resignation Geo Rogers (enclosed)

From
773 O.E. Boobyshell Coiner — Recom. dropping of Wm E.C. Latour Adjuster, absent since Dec.

From
774 J.D. Wolf Wolfville Nfld — Forw minerals for examination.

To
J. Gilfillan Treasurer M.S. 303 — Forw P/D $ 6.75 proceeds of $ 8.16 in 3/ Silver.

To
A.D.M. R.E. Preston 304 — Asks letter relative to T.D. Coinage. Will push work.

To
J.D. Wolf Wolfville Nfld 306 — Minerals contain Antimony.

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10		To	
	DM	307	Subm. dropping of Min E C Latrm C Dept.
		To	
	Do	308	Reporting resignation Geo Rogers M & R Dept.
		To	
	Do	309	Forw statements M & R's & Coiner's settlements, and various balance sheets.
		To	
	Latham Bros Phila	310	Requ. bid for 1 ton old Lead.
11	From		
	775 C & DM R E Preston		Asks 11 specimen half dollars and bill.
	From		
	776 Do.		Medal A/c 2d qu 1877 referred.
	From		
	777 Treasurer U S per French		Forw dft $2382.34 Refinery A/c
	From		
	778 Treasurer U S per Fullerton		Forw dft $7500. Refinery A/c.
	From		
	779 A & Ballou Cash 1st Nat Bank Grafton Mass		Inqu if Subs Silver can be furnished promptly.

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To

J Gilfillan Treasurer U.S. — 311 — Forw C/D $1115.31 Small silver deposited.

To

ADW / R E Preston — 312 — Forw Statements dep. purch. & bars Dec'76 to June'77 and for year,

To

D M — 314 — Forw Statement Refinery Operations, fiscal year & Copy Letter M & R.

To

Do — 315 — Ref forw. discs and dies to Carson.

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From

780 — ADW / R E Preston — Instructions as to payment from Contingent Fund, of Coin's Gold Wastage & Loss on Sweeps.

From

781 — Do — Asks Statements M & R's and Coin's settlements &c.

From

782 — Do — Asks Statement Medal Sales fiscal year

From

783 — Do — Asks Statement Sales old Material 2d qu'r 77.

From

784 — Do — Offs dropping Miss E Latour Dept

From

785 — Do — Asks resignation Geo Rogers M & R Dept.

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To

Bussenius Quilfe & Co Phila — 316 — Requ bid for old metals.

— 317 — List of other parties to whom similar letters were sent.

To

Latham & Bros Phila — 318 — Accepting bid for old lead.

To

Geo Eyster A.T. Phila — 319 — Requ delivery of coin boxes.

To

D M — 320 — Reps forw dies & D.T. in full of Order June 18th.

To

J Gilfillan Treasurer U.S. — Forw C/D $5000 Cy per T Letter for subs Silver.

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From

786 — R M Comick Acting Sec Treas. — Forw Executive Order June 22nd 1877 Prohibiting Officers taking Part in Political management.

From (Telegram)

787 — A D M R E Preston — Inqu date of June dep. for T D, unpaid.

From

788 — Do. — Requ. separate Requis for certain blanks with specimens.

Form #740, 809.

From

789 — Do. — Acks Refinery Statement fiscal year.

From

790 — Do. — Acks Statements dep. purchases & bars to end fiscal year.

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From
791 A.D.M.
R.E. Preston
— Asks Silver Progress Sept 1877.

From
792 W.H. Kinter
Cooksport Pa
— Forw mineral for assay.

To
Do. 322
— Mineral is Iron Ore.

To
DM 323
— Stating unpaid Insurance dep. for T.D.

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From (Telegram)
793 A.D.M.
R.E. Preston
— Inqu % Condemned Blanks returned. (Blodgett Comrs Mem. + copy teleg & reply)

Blodgett #794, 801

From
794 Do.
— Asks T% $68 on assay charges

From
795 J. Gilfillan
Treasurer U.S.
— Requ investigation of shortage claimed by Citizens' Nat Bank Winterset Iowa, T.D. #595—

Herein #885-6, 1002, 1013,

From
796 J.B. Squires
Phila
— Inqu about T.D. in payment of Ground Rents.

From
797 Wm Sellers & Co
Phila
— Stating Hoister requires repairs and offering to do them for $240—

Herein #797½, 909,

From
797½ J.C. Booth M.M.R.
— Urging acceptance of above offer.

To
J. Gilfillan 324
Treasurer U.S.
— Forw C/D $21.75 small silver deposited.

To
D.M. 325
— Forw report Coinage, week ending 14th.

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		To	
	D.M.	326	Dow report assay coins and Coin Deliveries 2d qu 1877.
		To	
	Do	327	Dow oath Mrs B F Matthews Adjuster.
		To	
	A.D.M. R E Preston	328	Dow bill P Wright & Sons for ocean freight Napier assorter, Same forwarded to S.F.

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	From		
Dr #793 Dow 798	A.D.M. R E Preston		Requ explanation of Telep. report to Cond. Blanks
	From		
798½	Do—		Dow Ltr Supt A.D.M. and suggesting payment to A.D. for dep. made there in June, before paying July dep. at Mint.
	From		
799	Do—		Dow Circular P.M. General, fixing Govt. rates telegraphing
	From	(Telegram)	
800	J.M. Floyd Acting Supt A.D.M.		Inqu when & how many TD can be sent.
Dr #793 Dow	From		
801	O.C. Boatzhell Comer		Explaining report to Cond. Blanks.
Dr #671 Same	From		
802	H.G. Ferris Rec Hancock & Co Nat Bk Carthage Ill.		Requ affidavit of shipment full amt Subs Silver which arrived deficient—
	From		
803	H.E. Read Jr Evansville Ind.		Wants Half dollars of certain dates.

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16		To	
	J R Squires Phila	329	Relative to paymt. of Ground Rent in Silver dollars.
		To	
	A D M R E Preston	331	Relative to production of T.D. for M.J.H.
17	From		
	804 A.D.M. R E Preston		Authorizing Purchase of £.B. @ ½ ℔ Penny below London rate —
	From		
	805 Do.		Aden bill R Wright & Son, freight on Napier Assorter for S.F.
	From		
	806 Do.		Aden oath Miss B J Matthews Dept.
	From		
	807 J Gilfillan Treasurer U.S.		Form C/D and T.O. Coinage Charges to S.F.
	From		
	808 Miss A B Berard West Point N.Y.		Mints ℔s. piece 1856
		To	
	Do.	334	Mint cannot supply above.
		To	
	A D M R E Preston	335	Aden authority to buy £.B. and inqu. about terms.
		To	
	Do	336	Form Requis for blanks with specimens.

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18	From		
In #788	809	A.D.M. R.E. Preston	Dow supply Pay Rolls. Specimen Banks sent with Stationery Requis. have been found and Requis made.
	From		
	810	J. Gilfillan Treasurer U.S.	Requ Paymt $1000 in halves, in full of P.L. #1182 – Bank originally requested "dollars".
	From		
	811	J. Crawford Supt Mint Boston	Dow assay coins 2d qu 1877 –
		To	
		A.D.M. R.E. Preston 337	Dubu reductions pay D.A. Carpenter Gen Dept, to $1.50 p.d.
		To	
		Do. 338	Dow list of p.d. employés in order of consolidated pay rolls.
		To	
		H.G. Ferris Pres Hancock Nat Bk Carthage Ill 339	Dow affidavits Cashier and Mint Off A & P of shipment of Dubs. coin in full
19	From (Telegram)		
	812	D.M.	20 dies at D.F. Crack. Inquire about Phila dies.
	From		
	813	A.D.M. R.E. Preston	Ordering 24 pairs 10 dies for D.F.
In #804	From		
	814	Do –	Instructions for Purchase of D.B.

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19	From 815	R H Taylor 1st Comptroller	Gr & Bullion & Mint Coinage a/c 3d & 4th qu 1876, adjusted.
	From 816	J Gilfillan Treasurer U.S.	Draw # 747 mutilated Silver for dep.
	From 817	A A Boshyshell Coiner	Regn. appt W S Steel acting Coiner, in temporary absence.
	(Telegram)	To	
	D. M. S.F.	341	32 dies at Phila. from same steel as S.F., and perfectly satisfactory
		To	
	H Barber Engraver	342	Ordering 32 dies for S.F.
		To	
	Bueneming Smiliffe & Co Phila	343-4	Accepting bid for old metals.
		To	
	J Crawford Supt Mint Carson	345	Acct assay coins 2d qu 1877.
		To	
	DM	346	Subm. transfer A Boshyshell & appt G Attorney Dept
		To	
	Do	347	Subm appt W S Steel acting Coiner.

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From
348 A D M
R E Paxton
Asks list of employes.

From (Telegram)
349 J & W Seligman & Co
N Y
Inquiries TD will be sent.

From
350 C A King
Buffalo N Y
Desire information about old dime.

To
D M 348
Rep forw dies to Coxe in full of order June 21.

(Telegram) To
J & W Seligman & Co 349
N Y
Will send P.D. by Wednesday.

To
J Gilfillan 350
Treasurer U S
Forw C/D $7— mutilated silver.

To
D M 351
Forw C/D $106 64/100 Refinery charges

To
R M Cormick 352
Acting Sec Texas
Asks. Executive Order prohibiting officers taking part in political management, etc.

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From
821 ADM
R E Preston

Appr reduction in pay of C A Carpenter Gun Dept

From
822 Do

Appr appt W S Steel Acting Coiner

From
823 Do

Appr transfer C A Bosbyshell & appt G F Forney C Dept

From
824 J Gilfillan
Treasurer US

Warr $13.24 in Silver for dep.

From
825 J C Cahn
Supt Assay

Assay 100,000 T.O. a/c Invoice # 21.

From
826 Buck & Folger
Sherman Texas

Sign charge for Copper assay

No
DM 334 Daily Coinage report week ending 21st.

No
Buck & Folger 335
Sherman Texas

Referring to private assayers.

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From
827 A.D.M.
R.E. Preston
Acknowledge 6 Life Saving Medals 2d Class.

From
828 Do.
Acknowledge 9/20 & 10/6d Refining charges.

From
829 T.D. Acton
Supt A.O.M.U.
Inquire when T.D. may be expected.

From
830 S.W. Clark
Anoka Minn
Inquire about making G. dep.

From
831 D.A. Mincer
Chicago
Inquire assay charges.

To
A.D.M. 356
R.E. Preston
Forwarding letter relative to Peru's Deposits sent to Mint from Hamburg.

To
Telegram
T.D. Acton 357
Supt A.O.M.U.
Stating T.D. will go Thursday and Saturday.

To
D.A. Mincer 358
Chicago
Stating assay charges.

To
W.H. Banks 359
Capt. Night Watch
Detailing extra night watchmen and enjoining utmost vigilance.

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24. To

J Gilfillan Treasurer MP 360 Rec'd $11.32 small silver received.

To

Capt. of Night Watch 361 Detailing extra night watchmen

25th From

882 A D Hill R E Preston Acknowledging letter of advice, shipment of Keyes Adjuster.

From

883 Do. Rec'd draft $5.50 for specimen Valves.

From

884 J K Upton Ass't Treas Dept Rec'd draft $37.- for 6 Life Saving Medals #2, & Cases.

From

885 J H Junge & Co N.Y. Notice of expected arrival Keyes Adjuster #2, & requesting order from Ass't Treas, to pass the Custom House.

From

In #930. June. 886 J M Clark Anoka Minn Inquiring about making Gold Deposit. (Forwarded from Cincinnati, O)

To

Capt of Night Watch 362 Detailing extra night watchmen

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36	From		
	837	T. L. Acton Supt A.O. U.S.	Desires notice 25th of amt T.D. ready for Steamer of Aug 4. 9/63 95,000 due. Thinks 100,000 ozs ready to send.
	From		
	838	Jones & Laughlins Pittsburgh Pa	Requests table values & weights various coins.
	From		
	839	J. C. Loring Boston Highlands Mass	Wants to dep. S.B.
	From		
	840	Mayer & Pung Baltimore	Want to exchange silver coin for greenbacks.
	(Telegram)	To	
		Supt A.O. U.S. 363	Can send 100,000 T.D. if the Express Co will take them
		To	
		J. K. Upton 364 A.C. Treas Dept	Acts of 1874-57 for Life Saving Medals.
		To	
		J. H. Jones & Co 365 N.Y.	Can do nothing to pass Keyes & Winter thro Custom House, till B/L is sent to Dr. Atty.
		To	
		A.D.U.S. 366 R. E. Preston	Acts of 1873-5 & specimen values.
		To	
		J. C. Acton 368 Supt A.O. U.S.	If 100,000 S.B. is sent this week, can make returns by Aug 3. and also pay balance due.
		To	
		Do. 367	Express Co will take 100,000 T.D. now.

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27 From
841 A.D.U.C. / R.E. Preston — Suspend Purchases of Silver.

From
842 Jos. W. Seligman & Co. N.Y. — Inqu when balance of T.D. will be shipped.

To
A.D.U.C. / R.E. Preston 369 — Advise order to cease buying Silver.

To
Jos. W. Seligman & Co. N.Y. 370 — T.D. will be sent today and tomorrow.

To
D.M. 371 — Rubn appt O.D. Thatcher Conductor @ $4. at request Acting Ree R.A. McCormick.

To
Marsh Pung & Bro. Baltimore 372 — Purchase of Silver suspended. Can receive dep.

28 From
843 C.A. Bosbyshell Coiner — Has rec'd information of arrival 2d Reps Adjuster at N.Y.

From
844 P.H. Bouquet Pres Pella Nat Bank Pella Iowa — (Referred by Treasurer U.S.) Claiming 50 ℔ shortage in Silver.

From
845 Freese & Bro. Trenton N.J. — (Referred by D.W. Harrington C.A. Phila) Mint has overlooked bag $25 oz Mint Coin sent for redemption.

From
846 Do — Advise bag $25 oz 3 ℔ Silver returned, not redeemable

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28 From

847 S.— Davis Norwood N.Y. — Forw. mineral for assay.

To

DSM 373 Forw. Coinage report week ending 28th inst.

30 From

848 A.D.M. R. E. Preston — Acknd. rec'd $1333.17 sale of old materials.

From

849 J.M. Floyd Act. Supt A.O.M.U. — Acknd. T.D. in full of Invoice #21.

To

A.D.M. R.E. Preston 374 — Rep. forw. 24 Pr T.D. dies to Ransom.

31. From

850 A.D.M. R.E. Preston — Forw. ore from Senator Ransom for assay (Oil described in Annual report)

From

851 Do. — Appr. appt. O.D. Thatcher Gen. Dept.

From

852 J. Gilfillan Ransom N.Y. — State Bank of Syracuse N.Y. has not rec'd Silver coin. (Detained by riots)

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31	From		
	853	G. M. Lance Cove, Ark.	Powers for assay and recd. information on mining.
		Do	
		S. M. Davis Norwood N.C.	375 Mineral contains no G. or S.
		Do	
		J. Gilfillan Treasurer Mint	376 Silver for State Bks. Syracuse not forwarded by A. Ex. Co. till 30th on account of riots.
		Do	
		A. Dull R. E. Preston	378 Form Coinage report July.
		Do	
		D. M.	380 Monthly Examination Cash's Packages Cash on hand $1,644,801 29/100
	From		
	853½	Texas Surgical Inst. Austin Tex.	Assay value of old Mexican quarters.

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1	From		
	854	A.D.M.C. R.E. Preston	Requ. 2 sets in copper of all pattern pieces from dies made the past year.
	From		
	855	J. Gilfillan Treasurer U.S.	Forw $1,141.73 in 3/ Silver, for dep.
	From		
	856	Do.	Forw copy letter Bank of Hopkinsville Ky. - Silver sent 21st, T.L. #1312, not received.
	From		
	857	G.A. Thompson Adams Ex. Co.	Above Silver Kept by Ex. Co. till 26th on account of R.R. riots.
	From		
	858	T.C. Acton Supt Assay	Requ Shipment of T.D. 2nd, per steamer of 4th. More dep. for T.D. being made.
	From		
	859	O.C. Boebyshell Coiner	Requ increased pay A.E. Rulon and W.C. Evans C. Dept. and suggesting same for S.W. Hunter, Gen. Dept.
	From		
	860	Do.	Explaining need of another hand in Coining Room, and nomination of M.K. Allison.
		To	
	Hoyt & Lewis Wallaville Mf.	382	Complaint relative to Subs Silver Shipment should be addressed to Treas U.S. T.L. #1316 was correctly filled by Mint.
		To	
	D.M.	383.	Forw oath G.T. Forney C. Dept.
		To	
	T.C. Acton Supt Assay	384	Will send T.D. 2d & 3d, and supply as many as possible hereafter.

Filed Copy Letter Herein #888.

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1.

To
J. A. Wallace Cashr 386
Hopkinsville Ky
Subs silver detained by R.R. riots from 21st to 26th inst.

To
D.M. 388
Forw. Mint Coinage & Statements for July.

2

From
861 A.D.M.
Forw. Circular Sec Treas calling for Estimates 1877-8, with blanks.

From (Telegram)
862 O.H. LaGrange
Supt Mint S.F.
Requ. by tele, number of lbs Copper bought for S.F. Mint, 1 July 1869 to 1 April 1873.

From
J. W. Iveson #1278½ of 1876 + #899 of 1877
863 W.E. DuBois
Assayer
Forw pkg. test G. & S. for N.O. Mint + $45. cy. with letter from Dr Bonzano.

From
864 F. W. Junge & Co
Ny.
Rep. forw. 3 cases Machinery (Seyes Adjuster)

From
865 J.F. Dobson
Greenville Tenn.
Inqu. value of various coins, and coinage changes.

(Telegram)
To
O.H. LaGrange 389
Supt Mint SF
Stating Copper supplied, as requested.

To
D.M. 390.
Forw oath O.D. Thatcher Gen Dept.

To
J.F. Dobson 391
Greenville Tenn
Reply to inquiries.

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2		To	
	A. D. M. R. E. Preston	393	Refr. assay of ore for Senator Ransom.
3	From		
	866 A D M R E Preston		Ackn Minor Coinage Statements July
	From		
	867 Do.		Ackn Proofs of 1877.
	From		
	868 Do.		Ackn. oath G F Forney C. Dept.
	From		
	869 Do.		Forwbill G. Morgan, July.
		To	
	D M	394	Subm appt M K Allison, C Dept.
		To	
	Do.	395	Subm increase of pay H E Rider & W H Evans C Dept. and promotion Sr Hunter Gen Dept.
		To	
	A D M R E Preston	397	Returning dupl. bill G Morgan for omitted signature D M S
		To	
	J Gilfillan Treasurer U.S.	398	Forw C/D $ 12.40 3/ silver, received.
		To	
	C Northrop Coll, New Haven Conn	399	Forw C/D $ 1085 light gold received.
		To	
	G W Lance Cove P.O, Ark	400	Mineral Sandstone with Pyrites.

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	To	
D. M.	401	Forw C/D $1116.21 Refinery charges.
	To	
M. F. Bonzano Assayer in charge Mint, N.O.	402	Forw test G. & S., and $45. cy P.O. Order.

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From		
870. T. C. Acton Supt. N.O., N.J.		Acks C/D in full, Invoice #22.
From		
871	Do.	Wants more C/D for steamer &c.
From		
872 E. Pendleton Dep Coll New Haven Conn		Forwarded on 27th $1095 light gold for recoinage.
(Telegram)	To	
T. C. Acton Supt A.O.U.S.	404	C/D too late for train yesterday, will send 70,000 Monday and 30,000 Tuesday.
	To	
D.M.	405	Forw Requis Aug. $34,500.
	To	
John Sherman Sec Treas.	406	Requ supply blanks for reports of PO Stamps.
	To	
D.M.	407	Forw Coinage report week ending 4th.
	To	
G. P. Moore Edray W.Va.	408	Mineral is Pyrites.

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From
873 A D W / R E Preston — Appt. appt. M S Allison @ Dept

From
874 Do. — Appt increased pay A E Rulon & W K Evans @ Dept & promotion S M Hunter San Dept

From
875 Do. — Returning bill G Morgan, signed.

From
876 Do. — Acct $ 1162 Refinery charges

From
877 J Gilfillan / Treasurer U S — Forw $15. in mutilated 3¢ silver for dep.

From
878 Do. — Forw $15.25 defaced nickels for redemption by dep. of face value with A T Phila.

Filed together

From
879 G H Davis / Redemption Dept Mint — Above lot only $15.80

N Y A.D. Gold Ty.

From
880 J C Booth / M & R — Reports bad quality of Gold Bullion from N Y A D Invoice # 25, especially lot # 33.

From
881 Do. — Forw Melting reports July.

Filed herein # 1003.

From
882 Kountze Bro's / N Y. — Desire payment made to John McAlice for Gold dep. sent thro Adams Ex. Co.

From
883 J B Ferguson / Princeville Ill — Forw specimen of ore for assay. (Sand)—

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To

Kountze Bros N.Y. 409 Their G. dep. was recd from, and Paymt made to, Mr of Adams Ex. Co

To

DM R E Preston 411 Forw various pattern pieces. $50- dies not completed.

To

J B Ferguson Princeville Ill. 413 Said does not give Promise of Gold.

To

A G Brooks & Winebrenner Phila 414 Requ. bid for Copper.

To

J. H Shearman. Phila. 415 Do —

To

DeWitt W Smith Phila. 416 Do —

To

DM 417 Forw M & R's reports July.

To

Do 418 Forw. M & R's complaint of poor Gold Bullion from N.Y. A.C.

To

J Gilfillan Treasurer U.S. 420 Forw P.O. $15.50, face value of defaced nickels

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From
884 A.D.M.C.
R.E. Preston

Requis. Aug. approved @ $34,500.

From
885 J. Gilfillan
Treasurer U.S.

Inqu. Progress of investigation, shortage $34.50 claimed by Citizens Nat Bank Winterset, Iowa, on shipment $1000 –

Filed in #795 Treas U.S.

From
886 P. Lovejoy
Division Supt A. Ex. Co.

Above Silver reached Chicago all right. Complaint referred to connecting Express Co –

From
887 76 Silver
Assayer in Charge, Mint, Denver

In #931 Adm

Filed in #886 Treas U.S.

Trans. unpaired bars – $2,403.44 and requ. returns in coin, as specified.

From
888 J. A. Wallace Cr
Bk of Hopkinsville Ky

Ackn receipt $1000 Silver for which inquiry had been made.

To
F. V. Loring 421
Boston Highlands, Mass.

Treas Dept having revoked authority to buy SB, returns can be made only in TD or Bars.

To
Dill 423

Forw Estimates for 1878-79.

To
J. Gilfillan 424
Treasurer U.S.

Relative to shortage claimed by Citizens' Nat Bk Winterset Iowa as Dill and Asst Supt Mint reported at Chicago. Claim referred to Ex. Co.

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9	From		
	894	A.A.G.M. Division of the Pacific	Asks. Estimates 1878-79.
	From		
	895	Do.	Requ that Wagonmaster's pay be continued till 2d Seyes Adjuster is in working order.
	From		
Filed together also 896.	896	Do.	Inqu about increased pay of T. McLain Mo R Dept, and dropping of J Douglas, Plumber.
	From		
	897	J.C. Booth Mo R	Explaining increase of pay of T McLain Dept 1, 1876 - probably inadvertently not reported to A.G.O.
No Gold #3.	From		
	898	T.C. Acton Dept C.O.M.S.	Requ return of Gold Bullion complained of. No instructions on file later than 14 March 1874 limiting fineness: & Bullion as low as 943 has been sent in that complaint.
	From		
No 863.	899	M.F. Bonzano Assayer in charge Mint, N.O.	Asks fine Gr Seal Order 45.
	From		
	900.	T.J. Keough Idaho Springs, Col.	Inqu about sending ore for assay.

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From		
889	A D M R E Preston	Asks complaint of N.Y. & O. Gold. Mills replyshen AD is heard from.
From		
890	Do.	Asks pattern pieces.
From		
891	Do.	Reqs statement Bullion in B.P. July 31.
From		
892	H Silver Assayer in Charge, Mint, Denver	Forw unpaited bar $62.97 charges for 2d qu 1877.
From		
893	T R Hofer Asst Supt Mint Carson	Forw Aft $180.94 for tiles from Mr O'Brien, with warrant.
To		
Do.	426	Asks. above dft & returning warrant, signed by Mr O'Brien
To		
W.C. Lutz Bedford Pa	427.	Ass contains trace of Sulphide of Iron.
To		
D M	428	Rep. Bullion on hand July 31.
To		
P H C Bousquet Pres Nat Bk, Pella, Iowa	429	Forw 50 ¢ shortage claimed.
To		
A D M R E Preston	430	Increased pay T McLain inadvertently not reported 1 Sept '76, now submitted Rep. death J. Douglas, plumber,
To		
T.J. Hough Idaho Springs Co.	433	Stating assay charges. Recommending Denver Mint.
To		
D M	434	Forw Bullion & Coinage Aps 2nd qu 1877.

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10	From	
	901 A.D.M. R.E. Preston	Forw. cut Eagle for assay and return of value.
Sweeps Claim #1, 2, 3.	From	
	902 Howard & Möhle NY	Claim deficiency in value of 80 Hds sweeps sold May 23. Encl. letters from Sheffield Smelting Co. and Fr. Claudel, London.
Doc. #4.	902½	Filed herein Statement of above Sweeps as offered May 17, 1877.
	From	
	903 W. Kelly Hopkinsville Ky	Forw. burnt ½ E. for redemption.
	From	
	904 Richardson, Hill & Co Boston	Offering certain Es & D.E.'s.
	To	
H Pilver Assayer in Charge, Mint, Denver	435	Forw. S/D $6292 unpaid bars
	To	
D.M.	436	Forw. duplicate S/D as above
	To	
J Gilfillan Treasurer U.S.	437	Forw. S/D $12.30, value of mutilated 3¢ Silver.
	To	
W. Kelly Hopkinsville Ky	438	Returning burnt ½ E. Value $4.95
	To	
Howard & Möhle NY.	439	Advs. complaint of deficiency in Sweeps. Will give it attention.
	To	
Do.	440	Must await return of Asst. Assayer who assayed the Sweeps.

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11.

From

905 A.D.M. R.E. Preston — Forw copies letters A Supt and B M&R rel A.C. relative to Gold B. complained of

A.C. Gold #1.5.6

From

906 Do. — Appt increased pay T McLain and noting death J Douglas.

21 #896

From

907 Do. — Acts on Bullion Rpt 2d qu '77.

From

908 Do. — Directing monthly statement B Fund.

From

909 J.C. Booth M&R — Renewing recommendation that the Koerter be refitted by N. Sellers & Co.

Dw #797.

From

910 Foxburg Sav. Bank (J.F. Merrill Cash.) Foxburg Pa — Forw dft $320 - for Silver and minor coins.

From

911 J.M. Pooler Richville N.Y. — Wants information about coins, books, etc.

To

D.M. 441 — Forw Coinage report, week ending 11th.

To

J.F. Merrill (Cr) 442 Foxburg Pa — Returning dft $320. with circulars.

From

A.E. DuBois Assayer 443 — Reports on counterfeit Eagle, with value $17.20

Forwarded to D.M.

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11.		To	
	G. W. Pooler	444	Reply to inquiries about coins
	Richville N.Y.		etc.
		To	
	D M	447	Asks. blanks, Deposits & M.C. Rec.
		To	
	Richardson Hill & Co	448	Declining coins.
	Boston		
13	From		
	912 A.D.M.		Asks C/D $62.27 from Denver.
	R E Preston		Original should have been sent.
	From		
	913 J Gilfillan		Forwards $34,500. requis. Asst.
	Treasurer U.S.		
Receipt #5	From		
	914 Howard & Möhle		Relative to claim on Receipts.
	N.Y.		
	From		
	915 J.M. Dreisbach		Forw quarter for examination,
	Allen, 2d Nat. Bank		Inqu. if Pounding will destroy
	Mauch Chunk Pa		genuineness of Silver coin.
	From		
	916 G.C. Goss		Inqu. rules concerning deposits
	Maguire's Store, A.T.		and assays.
	From		
	917 H P Horton		Inqu. amount of fine metal in
	Cleveland O		"Dollars", before & after 1873.
	From		
	918 W.C. Oliver		Inqu if he can get $200 to 300.
	Rec & Disb. A.&.N.C. R.R.		Silver coin, for Check, from
	Newbern N.C.		time to time.

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To

DM 449 Forw. oath McAllison, cleaner,

To

W.H. Oliver 450 Referring to Rec. Treas. and forw Pub.
Newbern N.C. Silver Distrib. Circular.

To

G.L. Goss 451 Stating regulations, def. & assays
Maguire's Store Auto

To

J.M. Dreisback 452 Quarter, is cracked. Pounding will
Manch. Chunk Pa not affect the ring, unless by cracking.

To

W.P. Horton 453 Stating wt & fineness of Gr. S. Dollars of
Cleveland O various periods.

To

ADM 455 Forw copy letter Assayer Silver of Denver
R.E. Preston and inqu. how his request for coins
for mutilated bars, can be met.

To

W.N. Jeffers 457 Forw 22 silver discs. Must make
Bureau Ord. Navy Dept new moulds for the balance.

14

From

919 ADM Regn 2 pattern pieces in copper, from
R.E. Preston Morgan's dies delivd 11th.

From

920 Do. Acknr report on counterfeit Eagle
& $17.20 proceeds.

From

921 J. Gilfillan Forw J 1552. light gold for
Treasurer US recoinage.

From

922 J.C. Booth Relative to Gold B. from NYAO
Supt complained of, and regulations
governing such transfers.

A.O. Gold
St. L.

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14	From		
Sweeps #6	923	W. E. DuBois Assayer	Suggesting inquiry of M & R relative to Sweeps in question.
	To		
	A D M	458	Form Patterns from Morgan's dies.
	R. E. Preston		
	To		
	J. C. Booth M & R	459	Making inquiry relative to Sweeps called in question by Herrad & Möhle.
	To		
	D M	460	Form 9D 1/32 68 Refinery charges and 11/ unexpended bal. Mfg Subsistence
15.	From		
Jn #931	924	A D M R. E. Preston	Inqu Mint value of unparted bars from Denver Mint.
	From		
	925	Do.	Ordering 32 dies for L. F.
	From		
	926	Do.	Action on oath M & Allison & Dept
	From		
	927	E. A. Sloat Clayton N.J.	Wants ores assayed.

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To
W Barber 461 Ordering 32 dies for O.J.
Engraver

To
E A Sloat 462 Stating ore assay terms.
Clayton NY

To
DMW 463 Form 9/10 July subs. Silver Coinage
& Refinery. Mill soon close 30th June.

To
ADW 464 Stating Mint value Denver bars
R E Preston

To
John Sherman 465 Renewing request for blanks for
Sec Treas Postage reports (Aug. 4)

To
DMW 466 Form Comrs Silver report July

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From
928 ADW Asks 9/10 of 132 68 and 11/.
R E Preston

From
929 Do. Asks Morgan's patterns.

From
930 J A Booth Sweeps complained of by Howard & Mikle
M & R were of average assay. Describing
method of mixing & sampling.

To
E B Hollings 467 Old coins not coined at mint,
Charleston S.C.

To
DMW 468 Requ. requis. $500. sold for
Refinery Expenses.

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To
D.M. 469 Tow Ord 4th July.

17 From
Herein #887, 924, 983 931. A.D.M. R.E. Preston Send Denver Mint the coins requested under §28 Coinage Act, to gross value of unparted bars, without deduction.

From
Herein #986 ans 932. Do. M.V. Davis to prep me statistical history Mint from 1848. Afford all facilities, & pay expenses from Contingent Fund.

From
933 Do Aden Refinery & Subs Coinage Yes July.

From
A.D. Gold #8. 934 W.E. DuBois Assayer Relative to rules for transfers of Gold B. from N.Y. A.D.s

From
In #944 935 P.H. Bousquet Pres Nat Bk, Pella, Iowa. Aden 50¢ shortage.

From
Herein #977. 936 H.D. Cothran Cash. Nat Bk of Rome, Ga. Claims $1.50 shortage on $666.75 (Referred by Treas Dept. Mem of Cashier within — Shortage doubtful but will be paid)

To
J. Gilfillan Treasurer U.S. 470 Tow c/o $1535.67 light gold received.

To
H.D. Cothran Cashr — Rome Ga. 471 Tow $1.50 shortage claimed though its occurrence is doubtful

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To
ADW 472 Ref forw TD dies to S.F.
R E Preston

To
Do 473 Forw Ord Ofc June (with notice of an outstanding bill) and Ofc Pubs Silver Coinage, closed to date.

To
Mt Silver 474 Forw coin for $2386 $\frac{82}{100}$ value of
Assayer in Charge, Mint, Denver unpaired bars.

18 From (Telegram)
937 ADW Requ. by wire, approx, amt SB.
R E Preston in B.F.

From
938 Do Acku. Ord. Ofc. July.

From
939 Do Has requ. dft $500. Refinery Ofc.

From
940 T. C. Acton Forw. report test coins July.
Dept. AO NY

From
941 W E DuBois Detailing assay of disputed
Assayer sweeps, Concluding there was unfair sampling in England.

Sweeps #8.

From
942 R. J. Houston Acku. return of 3 Silver, not
Lancaster Pa redeemable, & asking what to do with them.

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To

A D M — 476 — Forw., with remarks, letters of M & R & Assayer, on Gold Bullion from R E Preston — N Y A O, complained of.

To

Howard & Möhle — 479 — Complaint referred to D. M.
N.Y.

To

D M — 480 — Forw Coinage report, week ending 18th.

To

R J Houston — 481 — Ab provision for redemption of 3¢.
Lancaster Pa — Receivable at Mint as bullion.

To

D M — 482 — Forw. papers in complaint of Howard & Möhle of deficient value in Dimes, for decision.

To

M & R, Assayer and Coiner — 483 — Forw N Y A O report test coins July.

(Telegram) To

A D M — 484 — Stating approx. amt. $3 in B.V.

To

J. C. McIntosh — 485 — Relative to 3¢ silver.
Springfield Mass.

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20.	From		
	943	A.D.M. R.E. Preston	D.M. wants immediately statements Zinc & Copper sent S.F. 1 Jan 1869 — 1 Apl 1873.
	From		
	944	Do.	Asks a/c for Jmng Ord and Subs. Coinage.
	From		
	945	W.P. Brown N.Y.	Sows list of U.S. coins for examination & return.
	From		
	946	E. Pasour Dallas N.C.	Making small G. dep.
	From		
	947	R.H. McKee Cashr Farmers Dep. R.R. Baldwin, Pa.	Sows dft for $500. and requ. silver dollars. (Dft returned)
	From		
	948	Sinsheimer & Black Baltimore Md	Inqu. if S.B. from 37 pieces can be coined into Subs. Silver.
	From		
	949	J. Steinau & Co Cincinnati O	Sows piece of gold for assay.
		To	
	R.H. McKee Baldwin Pa	486 Cashr	Returning dft.
		To	
	J. Steinau & Co Cincinnati	487	Requ. $1. to pay for assay.
		To	
	J.W. Bowman Prairie du Rocher, Ills	488	Stating terms for assay.
		To	
	A.D.M. R.E. Preston	489	Sows Statement of Zinc & Copper sent S.F. 1869 — 1873.

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To

W. P. Brown 490 Returning corrected list 11 coins
NY

To

Sinsheimer & Black, 491 Silver 3J receivable only as
Baltimore. bullion.

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From

Dweeps #9. 950 ADW R. E. Preston Aden Papers rel. to Howard & Möller's claim on Dweeps. Difficulty doubtless in sampling in England. Drops sold subject to previous sampling & not liable to reclamation.

From

951 Do. Estimates 1878-79 to include Statements quantity & price of all trading articles, and wages of each dept

From

952 Do. Regn Statement Earnings & Expenditures, fiscal year '76-77.

To

Do 492 Forw. above Statement.

To

Howard & Möller 493 Forw. copy letter ADW, deciding on
NY. claim on Dweeps.

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From

953 A Dill
R E Preston

Statements Zinc & Copper shipments, recd & forw. to D Ill at S.F.

From

954 Do.

Returning for Supt's approval pay roll Gen Dept (Transf. from C Dept) July. Noting high price of Coal. Requ. separate abstracts Wages & Contng. Exp.

From

955 E T Allen Cash'r
Union City Nat Bk, Mich

Inqu if he can get 100 Silver dollars for cy. dft.

From

956 J J Greer
Baltimore Md

Forw dime, for two half dimes, of 1877.

From

957 S L McCune Cash'r
Nat Bk of Rockford Ill.

Forw dft $2000. for halves, Silver. (Dft returned)

From

958 P A & S Small
York Pa.

Inqu if 5¢ & 10¢ Silver are redeemable.

To

J J Greer 495
Baltimore Md

Returning 10¢ — No half dimes since Act of 1873.

To

P A & S Small 496
York Pa

Subs Silver receivable only as bullion.

To

S L McCune Cr 497
Rockford Ill.

Returning dft $2000.

To

E T Allen Cr 498
Union City, Mich.

Old Silver dollar no longer made, TD issued only for dep. of $5.

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23. From
In #954. 959 A.D.W. Washington
R.E. Preston
June 9's Ord & Subs Silver, referred.
Draw separate Warrant for each Payroll.
Forw Original G/D from A.T.

From
960 Do.
Acku Earnings & Exp. 1876-77.

From
961 J. Gilfillan
Treasurer Mint
Forw dft $500. Refinery.

From
962 Leek, Doering & Co.
Cleveland O
Inqu. if old coppers can be redeemed.

From
963 J.C. McIntosh
Springfield, Mass.
Inqu. if silver 3's will be received for 5's nickels.

From
964 A.W. Rice Jr
Norwich N.Y.
Inqu what to do with small lot of old Gold.

To
J. Gilfillan 499
Treasurer Mint
Returning letter with Signature.

To
Do. 500
Acku. dft $500. Refinery.

To
A.D.W. 501
R.E. Preston
Returning Pay Roll, approved.

To
A.W. Rice 502
Norwich N.Y.
Relative to his old Gold.

To
J.C. McIntosh 503
Springfield Mass
Cannot exchange minor Coin for Silver. Forw Circular.

(Telegram) To
J. McFloyd 504
Asst Supt A.D.W.
Will send 50,000 $ D on Saturday 25th.

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24	From		
	965	A.D.M.	Notice of purchase from Nevada Bk.
		R E Preston	$B £ 350,000. @ 117½ sold per
			£ fine, for deliv. through Bank of N.Y.
			$450,000. sold placed with A.T. N.Y.
			Pay charges from N.Y., from Silver Profits.
	From		
	966	R B Ferris &	Notice of shipment of £ 288,869
		Bank of N.Y., N.Y.	on a/c above sale.
	From		
Assays #10.	967	Howard & Möhle	Requ copies statements M & R &
		N.Y.	Assayer on their Sweeps.
	From		
	968	H Fitch &	Inqu if worn Silver coins are
		1st Nat Bk Lawrenceburgh Ind	redeemable.
		To	
	Do	505	Silver coin receivable only as
			bullion.
		To	
	J Steiman & Co	506	Rep. assay of piece of Gold.
	Cincinnati		
		To	
	Howard & Mohle	507	Forw copies statements of M & R
	N.Y.		and Assayer.
		To	
	E. Paxour	508	Value in cy. of G dep. sent by reg.
	Dallas N.C.		as a special accommodation letter; but hereafter less than $100.
			in value cannot be received.
		To	
	D M	509	Forw M & R's Alloy a/c 2d qu '77
			and Silver Profit & Loss a/c 1st
			& 2d Qu's 1877.

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25.	From (Telegram)		
	968	D. M. at S.F.	Inqu about letter Supt Balgrange, Oct 19, 1870, about sale of Zincs
Together with 969 Aug 27.	From (Telegram)		
	969	A.K. La Grange Supt Mint, S.F.	Do —
	From		
	970	ADM R E Preston	July Ges, Ord 4, Refinery & Subs. Comage — Referred —
	From		
	971		Asks Pay Roll duly approved
Here in #973, 4.	From		
	972	Do	Inqu about charge for Gas, July Bill Co, when "meter ceased to record".
	From		
In #972	973	J. C. McGinnis Asst Engineer, Mint	Explaining above charge, Apr 5 to May 25, Reached by estimate & agreement.
	From		
	974	Do	Fuller explanation of above.
L.B. #19.		To	
	D. M.	1	Forw Comage report week ending 25th.
		To	
	A.D.M. R E Preston	2	Explaining Gas charge.
		To	
	J M Weaver Lehighton Pa	5	Minerals contain Pyrites.

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27. From
975 A.D.M. R.E. Preston — Asks wt of R's alloy for 2d qu. and Silver B. for 1st & 2d qu '77

From
Sweeps #11. 976 Konrad & Möhle N.Y. — Asks copies of Statements and regn. explanation of method of calcn of Sweeps.

From
936. 977 A.D. Cothran Cr Bank of Rome Ga — Asks $1.50 charge.

To
John Sherman, Sec. Treas. 6 — Returning Stationery invoice receipted.

(Telegram) To
D.M. at S.F. 7 — No such letter as inquired for, on record.

(Telegram) To
O.H. LaGrange Supt Mint S.F. 7 — Do —

To
D.T. Wise Goldville W.Va. 8 — One does not contain G. or S.

28 From
978 A.D.M. R.E. Preston — Explanation of Gas charge, referred to 1st Auditor.

From
979 Do. — July Statements Dep. Purch. & Bars not recd. Statements required by Regl'n must be rendered within 10 days after period covered.

From
980 Do. — Regn copper patterns 1.50. dies, as soon as possible.

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28	From		
	981	A D Wilde R E Preston	Forw. blank Certf. S. Dep.
	From		
	982	J M Floyd Actg Supt A O U S	Acks 60,000 TD on Inv. #27,
In #931 A Bell	From		
	983	A Silver Assayer in charge Mint, Denver	Acks coin for unparted bar
Recpts #21	From		
	984	J B Eckfeldt Asst. Assayer	Explaining mode of calculating Sweeps.
		To	
		Conrad & Möhle N.Y. 9	Explaining Book Keeper's calc^{n} of Sweeps & forw. by Asst Assayer's explanation, & copy Assays of lot sold, in full.
		To	
		A C Bixby Springfield Mass 11	Stating weights US coins G.t.S.
		To	
		R B Ferris & Bank of N.Y. 12	Forw chk $338,579 83 for DB from Nevada Bank.
		To	
		J Hillhouse A T N.Y. 13	Notice of above chk.
		To	
		D M 14	Forw Statements Dep. Purch. & Bars July
		To	
		Do 15	Inform appt G K Thomas, Gen Supt.

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29 From
985 A A Bosbyshell Coiner — Nom. Mrs R Huntley Adjuster, at request asst Sec McCormick.

To
D Oppenheimer & Bro Balto 16 — Stating how returns can be made for S. dep.

To
D M 17 — Subm appt Mrs R Huntley Adjuster

To
do 18 — Requ. C/D + T/O, $375,000 Silver Profits to B.F.

30. From
In 932 986 D. M. at P.F. — Introducing M Davis, to prepare Statistical Hist. of Mint.

Rom
987 A D M R E Preston — Appt. appt. G R Thomas Gen Dept

Rom — Asks Statement of Dep. to July

Rom
In 1027 989 A A Bosbyshell Coiner — Requ introduction of Electric Bells in C. Dept. (Refused)

Rom
990 R B Ferris & Bank of N.Y. — Asks chk for NB for Nevada Bk. Inqu if there is not an error in Nos.

To
Do 19 — No error. Apparent excessive withdrawal was in Std $, not fine.

To
A D M R E Preston 20 — Rom copper Patterns $50

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30.		To	
	J. H. Farnum Comdent. J.	21	Inqu. about experience in selling Dueeps in Europe.
		To	
	J. M. Bowman Prairie du Rocher, Ill.	22	Mineral valueless.
		To	
	J. Gilfillan Treasurer M.S.	23	Trans S/D $5000. cy, dep for silver change.
31.	From		
	991 A.D.C. R.S. Preston		Appr. appt. Mrs R. Huntley Copt
	From		
	992 Do		Has requ. S/D and T.O. $375,000. Silver Depits.
	From		
	993 Do		Trans copy letter Supt. Carson Mint. complaining of defective dies.
2 September	From		
	994 H. Barber Engraver		Cracking of dies at Carson due to imperfect hardening. Has obtained new brand of steel for trial.
	From		
	995 T.G. Acton Supt Assay		Trans S.B. on T.O. #4673.
	From		
	996 J.M. Bowman Prairie du Rocher Ill		Trans ore and $5. for assay
		To	
	Do.	24	Returning $5.
		To	
	W.G. Craig Phila	25	2¢ piece sent to Examiner

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31.		To	
	D.M.W.	26	Forw Coinage Report month.
	(Telegram)	To	
	T. Acom	27	Inqu if shipment T.D. is right.
	Supt Army		
		To	
	D.M.W.	28	Reporting condition of R.F.
		To	
	Do	29,	Forw Refinery Ap Aug.
		To	
	Do	30	Monthly Examination satisfactory. Cash on hand $1,837,555.20

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1. From
997 A. DW. — Asks Pattern pieces $50
R. E. Preston

From
998 R. M. Taylor — A/c Gr. & Bullion & Minor C. 1st Qu. 1877
1st Comptroller — adjusted.

From (Telegram)
999 T. B. Acken — Bag of halves rec'd instead of Dimes
Supt A.O. U.S.

From
1000 O. C. Boxbyshell — Recom. increase in pay of C. Boxbyshell, Counter to $1325
Coiner

From
In #1017 A.D.W. 1001 J. C. Eyster — Vaults full of Minor Coin. Requ. transfer of part to Sub Treasury.
Redemption Clerk

From
In #795 1002 L. J. Smith Ci — Inqu Progress of investigation
Citizens Nat'l Bk, Winterset, Iowa — alleged shortage $34 50

From
In #883 1003 Kountze Bros — Inqu if Mint will receive G. dep. to be paid to John McAlien
N.Y.

From
1004 J. H. Allen — Inqu about making dep. of Gold
Spartansburg S.C. — dust.

To
Kountze Bros 32 — Will receive dep. for J. McAlien if signature
N.Y. — is furnished.

To
A.D.W. 33 — Form Engraver's letter relative to foreign
R. E. Preston — complaint of dies.

To
D.W. 36 — Form Coinage report week
ending 1st.

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1	(Telegram)		To	
		T B Acken Supt Assay	37	Send back bag halves, Bag Trades will be sent.
			To	
		D M	38	Forw Minor Coinage Statements Aug.
			To	
		Do	39	Forw letter J. C. Eyster relative to excess of Minor Coins & requ transfer of $150,000 to A.T.
3	From			
	1005	A D M R E Preston		Forw bill G Morgan, Aug.
Herein 1006, 1200, 1201	From			
	1006	Do.		Forw Circular Sec. Treas. calling for list Officers & Employés 30 Sept.
	From			
	1007	Do.		Requ that impressions of new designs for coins be furnished F. Eckfeldt to be heliotyped for Dlls's Report.
	From			
	1008	Do.		Actu Coinage rep. Aug.
	From			
	1009	Do.		Refinery ops Aug. rec'd & referred.
	From			
In 1064 Assay	1010	Abendroth Bro's N.Y.		Inqu if iron Kettles for Gold refining are Satisfactory, & offering to exchange.
	From			
	1011	J C Booth M x R		Rel to above Wishes deeper Kettles.
Precip #13.	From			
	1012	J. W. Farnum Camden N.J.		Reply to inquiry as to his experience in selling Precips.

September 1897.

3	From			
In #795	1013	G Thompson Adams Ex. Co.		Shortage claimed by Citizens Nat'l B. Winterset Iowa, under investigation Box left Chicago intact.
			To	
		D.M.	42	Form Requis. Dept. for 34.500.
			To	
		Do	43	Form oath Mrs R Huntley, C Dept
			To	
		A.D.M.	44	Askn request for list Employés, & asking for "Circular" enclosed
		R E Preston		
			To	
		Abendroth Bro's NY	45	Accepting offer to exchange iron Kettles. Form letter M & R
			To	
		L T Smith Ex Winterset Iowa	47	Form letter G L Thompson, rel to claim of shortage.
4	From			
	1014	A.D.M. R E Preston		Askn Major Dimage Statements, Aug.
	From			
In #882	1015	Koontze Bro's N.Y.		Desires Supt to receive back Gold Coin Pd for a deposit, & hold it for J McAbee
			To	
		D.M.	49	Form oath G K Thomas Gen'l Dept
			To	
		J Bowels New Richmond W Va.	50	Minerals no value. Pyrites

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5	From		
	1016	A Dun R E Preston	Circular of Reg. Treas. on back of blank sent 1st Inst.
	From		
	1017	Do.	Excess of Minor Coin will be sent to AT, when Vaults are ready
	From		
	1018	Do.	Acknowledgement Mrs. R. Huntley Oath
	From		
	1019	Do.	Requis. Dept approved $34,500.00.
	From		
	1020	Abendroth Bros NY	Inv bill for iron Kettles. Offer to make & hold patterns for new ones
		To	
	Kountz Bros	51	Can receive dep. only for coinage or bars.
	NY.	To	
	Justice & Co	52	Can convert old silver only into TD. or bars.
	Balto	To	
	J W Moore	53	Reply to inquiries about mining.
	Bellefonte Pa	To	
	D M	54	Calling attention to request of Aug 29 for C/D & T O $325,000. Silver Proofs.
6	From		
	1021	A D M R E Preston	Conv. copy, extract from letter of D M. at San F, Aug 26th, relative to reduction of force if found necessary.

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From
1022 A.D.W.S.
R.E.Preston

Forw copy telegram Supt S.F., regn. 24 obv. TD dies, and complaining of steel.

From
1022½ Do.

Acknowledging Gen'l Thomas Gen'l Dept

From
1023 J. Gilfillan
Treasurer U.S.

Forw GD & TO $375,000. Silver Profits to B.F.

From
1024 J.C.Booth
M.R.

Declining Abendroth Bro's. offer to make & hold pattern for iron Kettles.

From
1025 Do.

Forw reports Bullion Operations August.

To
W Barber 55
Engraver

Ordering 24 obv. TD dies S.F.

To
Abendroth Bros 56
N.Y.

Regn duplicate bill for iron Kettles. Declining offer to make pattern.

To
D.M. 58

Forw M.R's rep. Bullion Operations Aug., & letter.

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From 1026	T. E. Acton Supt Army	Forw assay test coins Aug.
From 1027	Patrick & Carter Phila.	Offering to estimate for introduction of Electric Bells
From 1028	E St John NY	Requ relative value of 2D, & Subs. Silver. (Assayer's memo. herein)
From 1029	D W Wise Gold Hill W. Va	Requ. address of private assayers.
	To	
Assayer M & R and Coiner	59	Rep't forw test coins Aug.
29 D W Wise, Gold Hill W. Va	To	Forw address of private assayers.
E St John NY	61	Stating relative value 2D and Subs coinage.
	To	
A D M	62	Rep't forw 2D dies to S.F. No imperfection in metal.
R E Preston	To	
D.M.	63	Forw rep't Coiner's workings Aug.
From 1030	A.D.M. R E Preston	Requ Statements Purchases and supplies on hand 30 June 1877, and Refinery expenditures &c. fiscal year (Called for in letter 23 Feb.)
From 1031	Do.	Acting M & R's report, Aug.

Herein p 1044, 5, 6, 7, 1101, 2, 3, 8

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8 From
1032 J Tarbell
Asst 1st Comptroller
Refinery a/c 2d qu 1877 adjusted.

From
1033 Abendroth Bros
NY.
Forw bill for Kettles for Refinery

In #1064.

From
1034 E B Kerbin
Dover, Del
Inqu if the Mint buys coins.

From
1035 E E Orvis
Bloomsburg Pa.
Wants assay of lead ore for silver.

Herein #1069.

To
D M 64
Forw Statements dep. Purchases & bars Aug.

To
E B Kerbin 65
Dover, Del.
Mint Cabinet very large and only very rare coins wanted.

To
D M 66
Forw rep Coinage week ending 8th inst.

To
Do 67
Forw a/c $19242 Refinery a/c

10 From
1036 A.D.M.
R E Preston
Asst Coiner's report of workings Aug.

From
1037 W E Du Bois
Assayer
Report on ore left by Hon. A. D. Moore.

From
1038 G. M. Weston
Washington D.C.
Forw. vial of G. dust and complaint of loss on previous G. deposit.

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10		To		
	A. T.	68		Statement of a/c to Aug 31, correct.
	W.G.			
		To		
	E E Orvis	69		Stating rules for ore assay.
	Bloomsburg Pa			
		To		
	ADM	71		Trm. itemized statements Contingent Expenses and Mfg Subsidiary Coin, fiscal year ended 30 June 77.
	R E Preston			
		To		
	J M Weston	73		Relative to G. deposits.
	Washington			
11	From		(Telegram)	
	1039	A.D.M.		Inqu approx amt uncoined silver in B't.
		R E Preston		
	From			
	1040	Do.		Ordering 1 bbl bone ash for A.D. Helena. Complaint made of bone ash & supply last sent there.
	From			
	1041	Do.		Acku O/D $19242 Refinery charges
	From			
	1042	Do.		Acku statements dep. Mch. & bars Aug.
	From			
	1043	Do.		Acku 10 proof 20 pieces
	From			
	1044	J C Booth		Rep. expenses Refinery, year ending 30 June 1877.
		Mint N		
	From			
	1045	Do.		Rep. supplies on hand in Refinery 30 June 1877.

"1044-7 in "1030, a.d.m.

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11 From
1046 O.C. Bockshell, Coiner — Rep supplies on hand in A Dept 30 June 77.

Ans 1030, A Dept
From
1047 W.E. DuBois, Assayer — Do — in Assay Dept.

From
1048 H.R. Smith, NY — Wants Dlls Report and urges for Pattern pieces.

To
A.D.M. / R.E. Preston — 74 — Asks order for bone ash for A.C., Helena. Previous supply was good.

(Telegram) To
D.M. — 76 — Rep. amt. uncoined S.D. in B.T.

To
A.D.M. / R.E. Preston — 77 — Repeating above telegram

12 From
1049 A.D.M. / R.E. Preston — Asks itemized statements Subsidiary & Subs Coinage Expenses 1876-77.

From
1050 J. Gilfillan, Treasurer M.S. — Forw J.G. in 3% Silver for dep.

From (Telegram)
1051 Do. — Same letter #1032 should read Minnesota.

Together
From (Telegram)
1052 Do — Repeat of above.

From
1053 J. Tarbell, acting 1st Comptroller — Ays Mfrs Subs Silver Feb. 7 to June 30/77. adjusted.

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12	From		
	1054	W Barber Engraver	Rep. supplies on hand 30 June 77 in Engraver's Dept.
		To	
		H P Smith N.Y. 78	Reply to inquiries.
		To	
		Treasurer U.S. 80	Silver ordered by T.L. #1632, does not belong at address in Michigan.
13	From		
	1055	J Gilfillan Treasurer U.S.	Forw'd $34,500. requis. Dept.
	From		
	1056	J C Booth Mint	Rep supplies on hand 30 June 77 in Melting Dept.
	From		
	1057	O C Bobyshell Mainer	Urging appt. additional adjusters nominated 1st. Reduction would be injurious.
	From		
	1058	P A & S Small York Pa	Requ. amt. of silver required in a dep. for T.D.
	From		
	1059	D L Tyler Corning Iowa	Requ. speedy shipment of Coin Silver on T.L.
		To	
		Do. 81	T.L. recd 11th and shipment made 12th.
		To	
		D M 82	Forw'd Bill Abendroth Bros for iron Kettles.

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To

A. T. & S. Small, York Pa — 84 — Rules for dep. of Silver coin and bullion.

To

Abendroth Bros, N.Y. — 85 — Bills forwarded to Treas. Dept.

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From

1060 — R. M. McCormick, Asst. Sec. Treas. — Requ furniture report, 6 mos ended 30 June.

Recvd #1083

From

1061 — J. Gilfillan, Treas U.S. — Form $828.99 Silver coin for dep.

From

1062 — G. W. Lance, Cor. P.O. Ark — Form specimen reduced ore for assay.

To

R. M. McCormick, Asst Sec Treas — 87 — Requ blanks for furniture report. Circular 13 June, not recd.

To

G. W. Lance, Cor P.O. Ark — 88 — Specimen is iron.

To

DM — 89 — Subm. promotion of F. K. Thompson to "Asst. to Book Keeper" @ $4.00 p.d. and increased p.d. C. A. Bosbyshell, C. D.M.

To

Do — 91 — Form Ord. of August.

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	From		
	1068	D.M. R.E. Preston	Notice of purchase 1,000,000 $ S.B. from Nevada Bank @ 1185. Usual terms.
	From		
	1064	Do.	Bill of Abendroth Bros. referred.
	From		
No Gold	1065	W.E. DuBois Assayer	Brittleness of A.O. Gold noticed in ingots, and retention of lead experimentally verified.
	From		
	1066	A.A. Brebyshell Omer	Urging appt of 3 mint adjusters. Increased force needed to feed the keyless adjusts.
	From		
	1067	E. Jenks Cashier Nat'l Bk, Hopkinton, Mass	Inqu how to get Subs Silver.
	From		
	1068	R.E. Norman Walhalla S.C.	Inqu if 56 dwt Gold will be rec'd as a dep.
	From		
	1069	E.E. Orvis Bloomsburg Pa	Forwarding for assay.
	From		
	1070	E St John NY.	Relative to weight & fineness of various coins.
		To	
	D.M.	92	Forw. rep. coinage week ending 15th inst.
		To	
	Do.	93	Subm. appt. Messrs A.M. McClelland & Smith, & J. Banvart, Adjusters.—and Coiner's letters urging appt—

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16		To	
	E St John N.Y.	95	Reply to inquiries.
		To	
	R & Norman Valhalla S.C.	97	Cannot receive small dep.
		To	
	E J Jenks Cash. Nat Bk Hopkinton Mass.	98	Forw Circular rel. to distribn of subs. silver
17	From		
	1071 A D M R E Preston		Forw letter (to be returned) D.M. inqu. about Copper cent 87 in 1869-70.
	From		
	1072 Do.		Offs inc. y.d. J.N. Thompson and C.A. Boxbyshell.
	From		
Herein* 1078.	1073 Do.		Regn Plaster cast Morgan's reverse half dollar
	From		
	1074 Do.		Ackn Ord Ofs Ass.
See June 22, L.B. page 201 Herein 1086, 1105	From		
	1075 J Gilfillan Treasurer U.S.		Wants report from E.B. about $3.50 shortage claimed by Nat Bk of Peters Minn.
	From		
	1076 T C Eaton Supt Ap Mty		Inqu when to expect D.
	From		
A Oldest* 19	1077 C A Boxbyshell Engr		Complains of brittle D.C. inqts.
	From		
Dr* 1073.	1078 W Barber Engraver		Forw plaster casts Morgan's dies.

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17 From
1079 S H Norman Co
Nat. Ex. Bk. Providence R.I.
Rec'd 1092-1102

From Tow cht $100. for silver and nickel coin.

From
1080 H G Gill
Phila
Mints P. dep. paid in Lakes

(Telegram) To
T Easton 99
Supt N.O. Mint
Sent 50,000 T.D. this A.M.

To
H G Gill 100
Phila
Can only pay 1 dep in T.D.

To
S H Norman 101
Co. & Providence R.I.
Cannot fill order as stated.

To
A D M 102
R E Preston
Asks notice purchase of Lbs oz 1,000,000 from Nevada Bank @ 118 1/2

To
D M 104
Requ. transfer to Mint, of $10,000. bronze cents.

To
A D M 105
R E Preston
Tow plaster casts Morgans Lakes

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18	From	
	1081 A.D.M.C. R.E. Preston	Appn. appt. of 3 Adjusters,
	From	
	1082 E. M. Cornell, Treas 2nd & 3rd P.R.R. Phila	Wants pennies.
	To	
	Do — 106	Reply to above,
	To	
	W.E. DuBois 107 Assayer	Directing report of malleability &c. of Gold Ingots.
	To	
	J. Gilfillan 108 Treasurer U.S.	Forw C/D $1781.62 Mutilated silver recoined.
	To	
	G.C. VanAllen 109 Mt Pleasant Iowa	Reply to suggestion of placing official profiles on coins.
	To	
	D.M. 111	Forw letter of Mr Van Allen as above
19 In 1066 Asst Rec Treas	From 1083 J. Sherman Rec Treas	(Circulars 78, 13th, June) Returns of furniture &c to be made direct to Rec. Treas,
	From	
	1084. A.D.M.C. R.E. Preston	Transfer $10,000 in pennies milled made as requested.
	From	
	1085. Do.	Requ. C/D unexpended bal. appn. Contingent Expenses last fiscal year
In 1075.	From	
	1086 T. Lovejoy Supt Adams Exp Co Phila	Claim of $1 at St. Peters Mining referred to Supt Western Div.

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19		To	
	ADM R E Preston	112	Forw'g D $3,928.49 bal. Contng. Exp. appropn. 1876-77, inadvertently filed away at Mint.
		To	
	J. Gilfillan Treasurer U.S.	113	Forw'g copy McLovejoy's (Atty) reply about claim of bank at St Peter's Minn.
		To	
	ADM R E Preston	115	Forw'g copies of bills for copper cent S.F. 1869-70, with explanations, per request of D.M.M.
20	From		
	1087 ADM R E Preston		Stationery Bureau bill for stationery 6 mos end'g 31 Dec '77, $236.00, referred.
	From		
	1088 Do.		Requ Statement Silver Purchase of Aug 23 '77, from Nevada Bank.
	From		
	1089 Do.		Asks plaster cast Morgan's halves.
Nicaragua Treaty 8 1091, 6, 7, 1/2 1103	From		
	1090 Do.		Requ. in behalf of Consul General of Nicaragua, how many pennies can be made for N. for $5,000. gold.
	From		
In 1090	1091 O C Bosbyshell Coiner		Estimate for above coinage.
	From		
Do 1079	1092 S H Norman & Co Newport, Ky		Modifying order for minor coin.
		To	
	Do	118	Reply to above.
		To	
	ADM R E Preston	119	Forw'g oaths of 3 Adjusters and giving their names correctly.

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21	From	
1093	ADM R E Preston	Forw. Packet of Japanese Coins, for assay, with letters of State Dept &c.
	From	
1094	Do.	Asks $2 & has expended bal. approp. Contgt. Exp.
	From	
1095	J Gilfillan Treasurer U.S.	Forw T.O. # 4696, $10,000 in 1¢ bronze from A.T. Phila.
	From	
1096	J A Booth M & R	Estimate for 1¢ coinage for Nicaragua.
	From	
1097	W Barber Engraver	Do —
1097½		Supt's memorandum on above subject.
	From	
1098	Louis McLane Pres Nevada Bk of SF.	Forw. 1st lot $93 a/c sale of 1,000,000 @ 118 5/8.
	From	
1099	H R Smith NY	Various inquiries about penny, Silver dollar coinage &c.
	To	
DM	120	Statement of CB from Nevada Bank, Purchase of Aug 25.
	To	
ADM R E Preston	121	Asks. Japanese coin for assay.
	To	
	Do. 122	Estimate for 1¢ bronze coinage for Nicaragua. Recom. that planchets be made outside.

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22	From		
	1100	A.D.C.	Asks oaths of 3 adjusters.
		R E Preston	
	1101	—	Statement supplies on hand 30 June in Gen Dept.
	1102	— (Copy) —	Statement supplies on hand in all Depts, 30 June 1877.
		To	
	DNM	124½	Forw Coinage report week end 22d
		To	
	DNM	125	Forw Statements supplies on hand, &
	R E Preston		Refinery Expenses & supplies 30 June. (Copy of general Statement #1102, above)
24	From		
	1103	DNM	Asks estimates for Nicaraguan Coinage. Referred to Consul General.
	From		
	1104	J C Booth M & R	Complains of bottle sold, #46 & 47, Invoice #32, NY, A.O. Urges that only fine gold, free from base, be sent from A.O.
	From		
	1105	F. Lovejoy Adams Ex. Co. Phila.	Claim of bk at Helena Mont. will shortly be settled with bank.
	From		
	1106	L M Lane Pres Nevada Bank SF.	Forw 2d & 3d shipments of B 9/0 oz 1,000,000 @ 1185.
	From		
	1107	J H Norman & Co Newport RI	Requ return of chk sent for Mint Coin
		To	
	Do.	127	Returning chk as above requested.

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24		To	
	S St John N.Y.	128	Joint resol. 22 July '76 declares the T.D. shall now be a legal tender
		To	
	J Gilfillan Treasurer U.S.	129	Forw copy letter F Lovejoy relative to bank at St Peters Minn
		To	
	N D M R E Preston	130	Forw letters Comer and M & R, renewing complaints of A.O. Gold, with remarks.
25	From		
In 1030 cabinet	1108 N D M R E Preston		Asks statements of supplies & Refinery Exp., 30 June.
	From 1109 F W Groes Acts Supt Mint S.F.		Asks 24 T.D. dies.
26	From		
A.O. Gold #13	1110 N.D.M. R E Preston		Asks complaints of A.O. Gold. W.U my to put the question at rest.
	From 1111 Do.		Forw blanks for monthly reports Dep., Mach., & Bars,
Assign # 1254, 1254.	From 1112 G W Grant Asst Treas Reading Pa		Forw $192. in 3 Silver for redemption.

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26		To	
	R B Ferris	133	Forw chk $202,154 29 a/c 2 B
	Cash Bank of NY		from Nevada Bank.
		To	
	J Hillhouse	134	Notice of above chk.
	A T NY		
		To	
	ADNY	135	Forw bill Powers & Weightman
	R E Preston		$18863 supplies in Jan & Feb. last.
		To	
	G W Grant	136	Silver 3/ receivable only as bullion
	Reading Pa		
27	From		
	1113 ADNY		Deposits from A.O. for T.D. & gold chks
	R E Preston		paid promptly. Apprsn for freight
			half gone. T.D. deposits from NY.
			will probably soon come direct to Mint
			Requ statement amt due for freight.
			(Mem. of Aft. A. & Co. herein)
	From		
	1114 Do.		Forw blanks for statement of premium
			P.B. (from Nevada Bank) with
			instructions.
	From		
	1115 Do.		Ord & per Augs referred.
	From		
In 1003.	1116 L M Lane per Cashr		Forw 4th shipment P.B. a/c of
	Pres Nevada Bk S.F.		1,000,000 @ 118½.
	From		
	1117 J R Anderson & Co		Complains of Express charge on
	Bk of Bristol Penn		$50.29 coin.
	From		
	1118 G Reader		Wants ore assayed for Iron &c.
	Millvale Borough		
	(Bennett P.O.) Pa		

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27		To	
	H R Smith N.Y.	137	Reply to inquiries.
		To	
	H D Moore Phila	139	Report on minerals.
		To	
	A D M R E Preston	140	Rep. amt due N.Y. A.O., W. & D. & E. and amt due for freight.
		To	
	G Reader Bennett Pa	143	Cannot assay for Iron.
		To	
	J R Anderson Cr Bk of Bristol Tenn	144	Freight properly charged to bank.
		To	
	John Sherman Sec. Treas.	146	Forwarding furniture &c. 30 June
	From		
	1118½ J E Hall Spring Creek Nev.		Inquiry about alleged old deposit of Silver.
28	From (Telegram)		
	1119 D.M. S.F.		Pay approx. value D.B. (Nevada Bk) promptly.
	From		
	1120 A.D.M. R.E. Preston		Bill of Powers & Weightman referred.
	From		
	1121 J Gilfillan Treasurer U.S.		Forw. $18.54 in small silver for dep.
	From		
	1122 T Acton Supt A.O. U.S.		Rep. assay test coins Sept.
	From		
	1123 A Luckenbach Pres 1st Nat Bk, Bethlehem Pa		Wants silver dollars for $1.000 sent Treas. U.S.

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28 From 1124 J B Russell Champaign Ill.		Inqu about reported discount on silver coin.
	To	
M & R, Assayers & Coiners	147	Ack & O assay test coins Sept.
	To	
J B Russell Champaign Ill	148	Relative to alleged discount on S. coin.
	To	
A Luckenbach Bethlehem Pa	149	Will send Subs coin when T.L. is received. No dollars made
	To	
A D M R E Preston	151	Refinery Ys Aug., forwarded 31st & acknowledged 1st Sept.
	To	
Do	152	Form statement or blank furnished, Silver from Nevada Bk recd 24 Aug. Inqu whether to give date of contract or of delivery, hereafter.
	To	
Do	153	Rep, forw, trial dies to S.F. and Co, from new brand of steel
	To	
J Hillhouse NY	154	Notice of Chk below.
	To	
R B Ferris Ch. Bank of NY	155	Forw chk $698,941.87 Ys Sb from Nevada Bank

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29	From		
	1125	A.D.M.	Forw app'd bill M.K. Davis, special
		R.E. Preston	employé, Sept.
	From		
	1126	J. Gilfillan	Forw $15.25 in 3% for dep.
		Treasurer U.S.	
	From		
In 1063.	1127	L.M. Lane	Fra 5th shipment 518 o/c B
		Pres Nevada B.C. Co.	1,000,000 @ 118 1/5
		To	
	D.M.	157	Forw Refinery a/c Sept.
		To	
	Do	158	Forw Coinage reports, week
			and month.
		To	
	Do	159	Monthly examination Labis=
			factory. On hand $2,304,770.76

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1.	From Acting Director of the Mint 1128 R. E. Preston.	Acknowledging Statement of Silver Purchased from Nevada Bank 23 Aug 1877. In future Statements give date of purchase.
	From L B Colwell Syracuse 1129 N.Y.	Inquiring weight of certain U.S. and foreign coins.
	From Saml. Frodsham Savannah Mo.	Forwarding a 20¢ piece for examination.
	To Director of the Mint 161	Statement of Bullion Fund at close of business Sept 29th.
	To A. J. Hubbard, Cashier Astabula 162 Ohio	Letter forwarding P/O for Drafts U.S., misdirected to Mint, read and forwarded.
	To J. Gilfillan 163 Treasurer U.S.	Requesting T.O. $14,211— Minor Coins reissued.
	To L B Colwell 164 Syracuse N.Y.	Referring to Director of the Mint.
	To Director of the Mint 165	Forwarding Requisition for October, $25,000—
	To Do. 166.	Requesting Requisition for $500. gold for Refinery Expenses.

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1. To
Director of the Mint
167 Forwarding Minor Coinage Statements for September 1877.

To
Sam'l Hodskam
Savannah 168 207 piece cent, genuine but
Mo. poorly executed. (S.F.) Returned herewith.

2. From
1131 Actg Director of the Mint
R. S. Preston Refinery a/c. September rec'd and referred. Aug a/c was rec'd & referred Sept 1st.

From
1132 O. C. Boebyshell
Coiner Recommending discharge of R. N. Barber, Cutter, for drunkenness.

From
1133 L. McLane
Pres. Nevada Bank
S.F. Forw. 6th shipment Silver Bullion on a/c of sale of 1,000,000 oz at 118 5/8.

To
J. Gilfillan 169 Forwarding C/D of 15th proceeds
Treasurer U.S. of small silver deposited.

To
O. C. Boebyshell 170 Directing discharge of R. N.
Coiner Barber, Cutter.

To
Director of the Mint
171 Forwarding Ordinary a/c September.

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3.	From 1134 Asst Director of the Mint R E Preston	Requisition for October approved at $25,000.
	From 1135 Do	Requisition made for $500. for Refinery.
	From 1136 Do	Acknowledging Statement of Bullion Fund Sept 29th.
	From 1137 Do	Acknowledging Statements of Mint Coinage, September.
No Gold No 13	From 1138 J C Booth M & R	Forwarding reports of Workings for September, and explaining the heavy loss in Gold and Silver to Bittle metal from the New York Assay Office.
	From 1139 J Downs Dea. Worden Mfg. Co. Smyrna, Del.	Inquiring about report that T.D. can be bought @ 96 or 97 ℔.
	From 1140 J. M. Smith Cashier Bank of River Falls Wis.	Stating they have not received Pennies ordered.
	To J Downs 172 Smyrna, Del.	Reply to inquiring about price of T.D.
	To Director of the Mint. 173.	Forwarding M & R's reports of workings in September with explanatory letter.

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3. To
T. Hillhouse, 174
Assistant Treasurer
N.Y.
Notice of check $76,052.00 gold favor Bank of N.Y. on a/c Nevada Bank Silver.

To
R.R. Ferris 175
Cashier Bank of N.Y.
N.Y.
Forwarding above specified Check.

4. From
Acting Director of the Mint
1141 R.E. Preston
Acknowledging Ordinary a/c September.

From
1142 Do
Forwarding bill of Geo. Morgan, Special Engraver for September.

From
1143 J. Gilfillan
Treasurer U.S.
Forwarding draft for $500- gold, Refinery expenses.

From
1144 J.D. Booth
N.Y.
Nominating S.B. Brewster as an operative @ $10.00 per diem.

From
1145 T. Cronmelin
New York
Inquires if $20. in Minor coins for redemption can be made up of different denominations.

To
J.M. Smith 176
River Falls
Wis.
Pennies for his bank sent on Sept 26th. Address imperfect.

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4.

To
T. Crommelin 177
N.Y.
Reply to inquiry about redemption of minor coins.

To
Director of the Mint 178
Reporting discharge of Rit Barber, Coiners Dept., for intoxication, Oct. 1st.

To
Do. 179.
Submitting appointment of F.B. Brewster, M.x R. Dept.

5. From
Acting Director of the Mint
1146 R.E. Preston
Forwarding copy of letter to Supt. N.Y. Assay Office, submitting a method of testing Gold Bullion before shipment to the Mint; and requesting opinion of Supt. & Assayer thereon.
A.O. Gold #14

1146½ Herein
From
1147 Do
(Copy as stated above.)
A.O. Gold, #15
Acknowledging Bullion a/c, 2nd quarter 1877. Referred.

From
1148 O.C. Boxby Chief Coiner
Reporting bids for buck mills.

From
1149 J.E. Hilgard Bureau of Weights & Measures U.S. Coast Survey
Forwarding copies of documents relative to the Mint Standard Troy Pound for comparison with originals.
Herein #1214 Page

From
1150 L. McLane Pres. Nevada Bank S.F.
Forwarding 7th shipment Bullion on a/c sale of 1,000,000 oz. @ 118⅝.
In #6063.

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	To	
J. Gilfillan Treasurer U.S.	180	Forwarding D/D $4.20 proceeds of small silver.
	To	
R.B. Ferris Cashier Bank of N.Y. N.Y.	181	Forwarding check $76,637.95 on a/c of Silver from Nevada Bank.
	To	
T. Hillhouse Assistant Treasurer N.Y.	182	Notice of above check.
	To	
Director of the Mint	183	Forw. D/D $456.66 Refining charges.
	To	
J. Gilfillan Treasurer U.S.	184	Returning for omitted signature T.O. #1705, $10,000. in nickels to A.T. Phila.

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From		
Acting Director of the Mint R.E. Preston	1151	Suspend shipments of gold coin to N.Y. Assay Office. Freight appropn nearly gone, Continue returns of Trades-
From		
〃	1152 Do.	Approving removal of H.T. Barber, Miner's Dept.
From		
〃	1153 Do.	Approving appointment of S.B. Brewster, M.&R. Dept.
From		
A.D. Gold #16 J.P. Booth M.&R. and W.E. DuBois Assayer	1154	Method proposed by A.D.M. of testing Gold at N.Y.A.O., at his factory. Concurring in above.

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6. From
1155 L. McLane
Pres. Nevada Bank
S.F.
Forwarding invoice 8th and last shipment A.B. on a/c sale $1.000.000 @ 118⅝.

From
1156 D.M. Taylor
Cash. Indiana Nat. Bk,
Indianapolis, Ind.
Forwarding draft for $1.000— for subsidiary Silver.

To
Do — 185
Returning draft with Circular.

To
Director of the Mint
186
Forwarding Cmage report for week ending 6th.

To
J.E. Hall 187
Spring Creek
Nebraska
No record of deposit inquired about. (Letter # 1118½, Sept. 27th.)

8 From
Asst. Director of the Mint
1157 R.E. Preston
Requesting Statement of any Silver purchased under authority of July 14th.

From
1158 Do.
Has requested transfer of $75,000 nickels to Treasury.

From
1159 Do.
Acknowledging $2 $456.66 Refinery charges.

From
1160 Do.
Acknowledging Statement of Earnings & Expenditures, 3rd. Quarter 1877.

From
1161 J. Gilfillan
Treasurer U.S.
Returning "advice" of T.O. #4705.

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8		To	
	S B Brewster Phila	188	Notice of appointment in M & R Department.
		To	
	Director of the Mint	189	Submitting appointment of N. S. Beckley Jr. Cutter in Coiner's Dept.
		To	
	Do.	190.	Forwarding Statement of Silver Purchases under authority of letter dated July 16th.
9		To	
	Director of the Mint	191	Reporting M & R's Alloy &c 3rd quarter 1877.
		To	
	E E Dovis Bloomsburg Pa.	192	Reporting assay of Galena - 4 oz Silver per Ton.
		To	
	Director of the Mint	193	Requesting T.O. for $10000. in Pennies from A.T., Phila. for reissue.
		To	
	Acting Director of the Mint R E Preston	194	Concurring in suggestions relative to receipt of Gold bullion from N.Y. A.O., and enclosing letter of M & R. and Assayer.
		To	
	Director of the Mint	196	Forwarding Statements of Deposits, Purchases & Bars, September.

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10. From
Asst Director of the Mint
1162 R. E. Preston
Approving appointment of W. S. Beckley Jr. Coiner's Dept.

From
1163. Do.
Acknowledging statement of Silver Purchases authorized July 16th

From
1164. Do.
Forwarding "Abstracts of Disbursements, Ord. Apr." to be sent with monthly Apr's.

From
1165 J. Gilfillan
Treasurer U.S.
Forwarding draft $25,000 — Requisition for October.

From
1166 J. D. Brown
Treas. New Eng. Mining Co.
Providence R.I.
Desires ore ton Silver ore reduced.

Forgotten
From
1167 J. P. Booth
M. & R.
The Mint can neither reduce ores, nor estimate the cost of doing so.

To
Director of the Mint
197
Forwarding oath of J. B. Brewster M. & R. Dept.

To
W. S. Beckley Jr
Phila
198
Notice of appointment as Cutter, Q. Dept.

To
Asst Director of the Mint
R. E. Preston
199
Requesting blank oaths of office, and copies D. M's Report.

To
J. D. Brown
Providence
R.I.
200
The Mint cannot reduce ores. Referring to Phillips & Jacobs and E. Balbach & Sons.

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To
R B Ferris 202
Cash. Bank of NY

Forwarding check $176,726.39 on Pc Silver Bullion from Nevada Bank.

To
T. Wilhouse 203
Ass't Treasurer, N.Y.

Notice of above check.

To
Act. Director of the Mint
R. E. Preston 204

Forwarding additional Requisition $4.000, Contingent Expenses.

To
Do 206

Requesting pay 50 blanks for monthly Requisitions.

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From
1168. Act. Director of the Mint.
R. E. Preston

Returning Statements of Deposits etc, Sept. for revision, as to imparted Mint bars and Nevada Bk. purchase.

From
1169 Do.

Has referred request for transfer of $10.000 Pennies.

From
1170 Do.

Acknowledging Statement Mint's alloy a/c. 3rd quarter 1877.

From
1171 O. H. LaGrange
Supt. Mint, S. F.

Forwarding Assay Coins, 3rd. Quarter 1877.

From
1172 D M Taylor
Cash. Indiana Nat. BK,
Indianapolis Ind.

Forwarding duplicate S/D $1000. for Purs. Silver,

From
1173 G. B. Montague
Mt Vernon
N.Y.

Forwarding $1.05 for a gold dollar of 1877.

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To

D M Taylor 207 — Returning duplicate 9D. Will
Cashier, Indianapolis — send coin on receiving T. L.

To

G B Montague 208 — Forwarding gold dollar —
Mt Vernon N.Y. — personally.

To

Benedict & Burnham — Requesting bid for two
Waterbury 209 — old Topping Machines.
Conn

To

Holmes Booth & Haydens — Do — do —
Waterbury 210
Conn

To

Scovill & Co 211 — Do — do —
Waterbury
Conn

To

Saml Croft 212 — Do — do —
Phila

To

T. Kilhouse 213 — Notice of check below.
A. T., N.Y.

To

R B Ferris 214 — Forwarding check $52,464.87
Com'l Bank of N.Y. — for Silver from Nevada Bank.

From

1173½ — W E DuBois — Report of assay of Japanese
Assayer — Coins.

In #1093 Coin

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From
1174 Acting Director — Requisition for $4.000 Contingent
R. E. Preston — Expenses, approved.

From
1175 Do. — Acknowledging oath of S. B. Brewster, M. & R. Dept.

From
1176 J. Crawford — Forwarding Assay coins 3rd
Supt. Mint, Carson — quarter 1877.

From
1177 H. Finney — Returns for Silver deposit
Grand Rapids — not received. (Mem. of G. L.
Mich. — Thompson, Agt. M. & Rly Carson)

To
D. W. Smith 215 — Offering old machines,
Phila — wire fence, gas pipe, etc.

To
Bussenius, Ambiffe & Co
D. Newcomb
C. K. Lippincott & Co
A. Purves & Son
Brooke & Winebrenner
J. C. Shearman
all of Phila, 216 — Do — do —

To
Director of the Mint — Forwarding oath of N. S.
217 — Beesley, Jr., D. Dept.

To
J. D. Kilgard 218 — Forwarding copies of papers
Bureau of Weights & — relative to Standard Troy
Coast Survey — Pound and Mark of Castile.

To
H. Finney 222 — Returns for deposit were
Grand Rapids — sent on 5th by A. & Co.
Mich.

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To

Acting Director R E Preston — 223 — Forwarding report of assay of Japanese coins.

To

A. L. LaGrange, Supt. Mint, S.F. — 225 — Acknowledging assay coins 3d quarter 1877.

To

Acting Director R E Preston — 226 — Returning amended statements Deposits &c., September.

To

J. Crawford, Supt. Mint, Carson — 227 — Acknowledging assay coins 3d quarter 1877. Detailed statements not needed. Boxes should be marked with name of month.

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From

1178 — Acting Director R E Preston — Forwarding copy of letter from Supt NY Assay Office agreeing to test Gold B. before shipment to Mint.

1178½ — —

No Gold Oct 13 '77

From

1179 — A. U. Wyman, Asst. Treasurer, Washington — Acknowledging $1.000. pension T. O. #4710.

From

1180 — T. C. Donigan, Sec Central R R Co, Louisville Ky — Wants nickels in exchange for $140 — in 20¢ pieces.

From

1181 — B Larned, Conway, Ark — (To "U.S. Mint, Cincinnati" — forw. by A.T.) Wants ores assayed.

To

Do — 228 — Stating rules for ore assay.

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13		To	
	Director of the Mint	229	Forwarding Coinage report, week ending 13th.
		To	
	T. D. Aston Supt. A.O., N.Y.	230	Requesting for Assay of granulations of "Mexicans," Invoice #42,
		To	
	J. B. Colgate & Co N.Y.	231	Acknowledging notice of shipment $1 B for Trades. Probable delay, due to pressure for Dubs. Silver and Gold, & heavy prior deposits.
		To	
	T. C. Donigan Rec'r &c Louisville Ky	232	Declining to exchange nickels for 20 pieces.
		To	
	Director of the Mint	233	Forw. bill W. Sellers & Co $1,640.29 for topping machine, last fiscal year.
		To	
	Acting Director R. E. Preston	234	Adjustment of difficulty about N.Y. A.O. Gold satisfactory.
		To	
	Director of the Mint	235	Forwarding statement of Silver Bullion from Nevada Banks under advice of Sept. 9th.
15.	From		
	1182 Acting Director R. E. Preston		Acknowledging amended statements Deposits &c for September.
	From		
	1183 Do		Acknowledging oath of N.S. Beckley Jr. Ch. Dept.

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15.	From		
Herein #1205	1184	F. Haven Jr Asst Treas., Boston	Forwarding for examination a light D.E. of S.F., 1862.
	From		
	1185	J. H. Allen Spartansburg S.C.	Inquiring about his Gold dep. (Mem. of aft., N.B.D. herewith)
	From		
	1186	M S Sanford Pt Geneva Nat'l Bank Geneva N.Y.	Forwarding draft $2,000 for subs. dollars.
		To	
		Do — 236	Returning above draft —
		To	
		J H Allen 237 Spartanburg S.C.	Returns for deposit, sent 10th.
		To	
		F. Haven Jr 238 Asst Treas., Boston	Repat on light D.E., and requesting to keep it in exchange for value,
		To	
		Director of the Mint 239	Forwarding report of deliveries and assay coins, 3rd quarter 1877.
16	From		
Herein #1197, MLR 1218 Coiner		Director of the Mint 1187	Requesting, for Rec. Treas, a Statement of the capacity of the Mint to coin Silver dollars, under various conditions, if authorized by Congress,
	From		
Herein #1269 Coiner	1188	Do —	Requesting report from the Coiner on the working of the Seyes Assorting Machines.

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16	From		
	1189	Director of the Mint	Wants Engraver to report on practicability of re-facing old dies.
	From		
	1190	Do.	Bill of W. Sellers & Bro for topper, referred.
	From		
	1191	Do.	Acknowledging statement of Silver Purchased from Nevada Bank, 9 Sept.
	From		
	1192	J. M. Floyd Acting Supt N.Y.A.&.C.	Cannot supply granulations asked, Forwarding 13.05 oz. to make up allowance of 1/2 thousandth.
	From		
Stevens #1336	1193	Alice V. James Sheakleyville, Pa.	Inquiring about "nugget" sent by registered letter, Aug 29th.
	To		
	J. M. Floyd Acts Supt N.Y.A.&.C.	3140	Acknowledging 13.05 oz silver allowance.
	To		
	Director of the Mint,	3141	Acknowledging various calls for information, which will be duly furnished.

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17 From Director of the Mint 1194 — Directing that no further deposits for Trade Dollars be received.

From 1193 — Do. — Calling attention to request of Aug 20, for estimates of Incid. Expenses in detail, 1878-79.

From 1196 — Do. — Forwarding for Assayer's opinion, Papers relative to a discrepancy between Denver and N.Y. assays of a certain bar.

From 1197 — J.C. Booth M.&R. — Estimate of capacity of M.&R. Dept. for coining Silver Dollars.

From 1198 — J. Gilfillan Treasurer U.S. — Forwarding draft $4.000 extra requisition Incid. Exp., October.

From 1199 — B.B. Northrop Cash. Manufacturers "Nat'l Bk Racine, Wis. — Inquiring how Trade Dollars can be had for payment of operatives.

To B.B. Northrop 343 Cashier &c Racine Wis — T.D. made only for depositors: Manufacture suspended. Form. Subs. Silver distribution Circular.

To J.B. Colgate & Co. N.Y. 245 — Manufacture of Trade Dollars Suspended.

To Parker Handy N.Y. 246 — Do —

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17		To	
		Atlee W James 247 Pheakleyville Pa,	"Nugget" never received.
		To	
		T C Eaton 248 Supt Assay Office N.Y.	Manufacture of Trade Dollars suspended.
18		From	
In #1006 above		Director of the Mint	Calling for list of officers and employés, for Register of Treasury
	1200.		
		From	
	1201	Do —	Ordering dies for Carson for 1878.
In #951 Ans F		From	
	1202	J. C. Booth M & R.	Estimate of Incidental Expenses 1878-79 in M & R Dept.
		From	
	1203	W E DuBois assayer	Do — assay dept.
In #1196 Ans		From	
	1204	Do —	Report on discrepancy between Denver and N.Y.A.O. assays.
		From	
In #1194. Same	1205	F. Haven Jr Asst Treas. Boston	The Mint may keep the light D.E., on returning value.
		From	
	1206	C. Mehrs & Sons Phila.	Requesting prompt returns for Gold deposits.
		From	
	1207	Benedict & Burnham Mfg Co Waterbury Conn	Inquiring if the Mint would coin their planchets, for a S. Am. government.

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18	To	
	Director of the Mint. 2449.	Forwarding Coiner's reports of workings – Gold, Aug. and Sept. and Silver, Sept.
19	From	
Item #122	Director of the Mint 1208.	Directing preparation of certain dies – Silver Dollar, Eagle, and Half Eagle by Messrs Barber and Morgan.
Item #1188 Date	From 1209 O.C. Rosbyshell Coiner	Report on Seyes Assorting Machines.
	From 1210 Do	Nominating Miss E. Bellamy, Adjuster.
	To	
	Director of the Mint 250.	Acknowledging order for Pattern dies.
	To	
	Do. 252.	Forwarding Assayer's report on discrepancy between Denver and N.Y. A.O.
	To	
	Do. 253.	Forwarding Coiner's report on Seyes Assorters.
	To	
	Do. 255.	Forwarding Engravers inquiry as to guage of dies ordered for Carson. (No duplicate on file).

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19		To	
	Director of the Mint	256	Forwarding list of officers and employés, for Register Treas.
		To	
	Benedict & Burnham Mfg Co Waterbury Conn	257	Could strike S. Am. coins from planchets, if authorized by the Government.
20	From		
In #95 same	Director of the Mint	1211	Desiring detailed estimates for Incid. Expenses 1878-79 & Hereby to explain request for approp'n.
	From		
Do.	Wm Barber Engraver	1212	Estimate as above, Engraver's Dept.
Do.	(Memorandum)	1213	Amounts paid for Wages in Jan, May & Sept., 1877.
	From		
In #109 same	J. E. Hilgard Bureau of Weights & M. U.S. Coast Survey	1214	Thanking for copy of documents relative to standard weights.
	From		
	A. Muhr's Sons Phila.	1215	Relative to apparent error in G. deposit.

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20		To	
	F. Haven Jr Asst. Treas. Boston	258	Forwarding $19.57 value of light D.E.
		To	
	Director of the Mint	259	Forwarding Coinage report for week ending 20th
		To	
	Do.	260	Forwarding detailed Estimates of Incidental Expenses 1878-79, and Statement of payments for Wages, showing an excess over previous estimates — with remarks.
		To	
	H. Muhr's Sons Phila.	264	No error in G. deposit. Their bullion was very base.
22	From		
	1216 Director of the Mint		Inquiring how long it will take to pay off T.D. deposits.
	From		
In 1006 Gen	1217 Do.		List of Officers &c received and referred.
	From		
In 1187 Gen	1218 O.C. Boebyshell Chief		Report on capacity of C. Dept. for Silver Dollars. Experiments made to improve rolling &c. Appropriation wanted for their continuance.
	From		
	1219 L.D. Morgan Nashville Tenn Forwarded by D.M.S.		Forwarding 25¢ piece for examination.

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22	From	
	1220 H. Troemner Phila.	Request to deliver 7lb at ~~Boston~~ catificate. (Receipted)
	From	
	1221 P D Cooper Cleveland O	Forwarding "Franklin Cent" for information.
	From	
	1222 H G Freeman Cn Kellogg Nat BK Green Bay, Wis	Inquiring how to return empty coin box.
	From	
	1223 M Weaver C. Citizens Nat BK Urbana, O	Forwarding draft $500— for subsidiary silver
	To	
	do. 265	Returning draft.
	To	
	H G Freeman 266 Green Bay, Wis.	Deliver box to Express Co.
	To	
	S D Morgan 267 Nashville Tenn	Quarter good but damaged. Sending good one.
	To	
	Director of the Mint 268	Report of above.
	To	
	do 269	Stating amount due on D. deposits (590,795 pieces) and time required to make them.
	To	
	P D Cooper 270 Cleveland O	Stating history of "Franklin Cent."
	To	
	Director of the Mint 272	Forwarding reports on capacity ~~for~~ Silver Dollar coinage with remarks thereon and on improvements in rolling etc.

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22 To
Director of the Mint
278
Submitting appointments of Miss E. B. Manch Adjuster & H. J. Cooper, Asst. Gate-Keeper.

23 To
Director of the Mint
279
Forwarding duplicate of ~~Estimates~~ sent Aug. 7th. in case originals are mislaid.

To
Bussenius, Lenlyffe & C.
Phila. 281
Accepting bid for old metals.

To
J. C. Booth
Phila — 282
Do — old pipe.

24 From
Director of the Mint
1224
Acd. A/c Dept examined and referred. Noting high price Paid for Earth.

From
1225 Do —
Approving appointments of Miss E. B. Manch and H. J. Cooper, Nov. 1st.

From
1226 N. W. James
Sheakleyville Pa
Relative to "nugget" sent to Mint.

Ans. 11 93, June

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24		To	
	Mrs D K Appleton	Morrisania N.Y. 283	Declining to buy collection of coins. Referring to a dealer.
		To	
	A C James 284	Pheakleyville Pa.	"Nugget" was received but there being no information accompanying it could not be attended to. On examination proves to be Pyrites.
25.	From		
	Director of the Mint		Ordering dies for S.F., 1878.
	1227		
	From		
	1228 Do		Referring letter from * requesting that Mr Key make letter for new dies.
	* Geo Morgan	Phila	
	From		
	1229 Do.		Inquiring about M&R's gains from Silver in refining gold, last fiscal year.
	From		
	1230 J.C. Booth	M&R	Reply to above, Amount, $229.17 std.
	From		
	1231 J.H. Allen	Pittsburg Pa.	Acknowledging returns for Gold dep. and inquiring if it is not $700 short.
	From		
	1232 J.A. Wallace	Pres Bk of Hopkinsville Ky	Inquiring how to return empty coin boxes.
	To		
	Do.	286	Deliver to Express Co.

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25. To
J. H. Allen 287 — Returns for dep. were correct. Mint mem. enclosed.
Spartanburg S.C.

To
Director of the Mint 288 — Forwarding N.K.R's statement of his gains in silver from refining gold.

26 From
1232½ H. S. Durnall (Mint) Washington — Requ. extension of leave. Recom. by Asst. Rec. Treas. and D.M.

From
1233 Wm. Bowels New Richmond W. Va. — Forwading mineral for examination. (Mem. by Assayer hereon.)

To
Do — 290 — Minerals are Pyrites.

To
Director of the Mint 291 — Forw. C/D $120.37 a/c old materials.

27 From
Director of the Mint 1234 — Authorizing purchase of not over ~~or~~ 200,000. S.B. at ½% below London rate.

From
1235 Do — Forwading bill M. Davis, special employé, October.

? From
Form 12 assayer 1235½ M. Goldsmith Lexington Ky — Claiming short returns on deposit, especially in gold.

To
A. & M.R. Sigler, Adrian, 289 Mich — Stating manner of making returns for Silver deposits.

To
Director of the Mint 292 — Forwarding warrant for M. Davis.

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27		To	
	Director of the Mint	293	Forwarding report of Coinage week ending 27th inst.
29	From		
	Director of the Mint		Acknowledging $120.27 old materials sold.
	1236		
	From		
	1237 O C Boebyshell Coiner		Forwarding below resignation and nominating Miss Sara Jackson, Adjuster.
	2d Letter		
	From		
	1238 Miss E. M. Wagner Adjuster		Resignation Oct 31st.
	From		
	1239 G W Grant Asst Reading Pa		Requesting deposit with Asst. Treas. of $37 pieces. sent to Mint.
	Do 1112 Sent		
	From		
	1240 F. W. Hgeo Columbus, O.		Forwarding half dollar for examination.
	From		
	1241 G A Swann Honey Grove Texas		Inquiring about gold chain sent for deposit.
		To	
	Do	294	Proceeds of above sent 22d inst.
		To	
	F. W. Hgeo Columbus O	295	Half dollar good but damaged. Forwarding new one.
		To	
	Director of the Mint	296	Notice of resignation Miss E. M. Wagner and submitting appointment Miss S. Jackson Adjuster.

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To
Nile, Seidel & Co
Phila. 298
Inquiring prices of various Black Lead goods — crucibles covers and dipping cups.

To
Gautier & Co 299
Jersey City N J
Do —

To
Ross, Hofer Kaup & Dawson
Phila 300
Do —

To
R Taylor & Co
Phila 301
Do —

To
J Dixon Crucible Co
Jersey City N J 302
Do —

29 From
1241 A H Troemner Phila.
30 From
1241 B Do —
Requesting adjustment of set, least current weights, for Collectors of Customs at A Detroit, Mich & B Key West Fla.

From
Director of the Mint
1242
Forwarding warrant for pay of M. V. Davis.

From
1243 W J Boyer
Pottsville Pa
Inquiring about depositing Spanish quarters etc (Circular sent)

From
1244 J B Kutchison
Jeanesville Pa
Inquiring charge for ore assay.

From
1245 J S Luckenbach
Bethlehem Pa
Forwarding half dollar for examination.

From
1245½ W E DuBois
Assayer
Error in deposit of M. Goldsmith, Lexington, Ky.

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30. To

G. N. Grant PM, Reading Pa 303 — Forwarding C/D for 38 pieces and returning rejected ones.

To

Director of the Mint 304 — Forwarding pay of M. Davis.

To

J. B. Hutchison, Jeanesville Pa 305 — Stating rules for our assay.

To

J. S. Luckenbach, Bethlehem Pa 306 — Piece genuine but rubbed with lead or tin foil, which blackens.

31 From

Director of the Mint 1246 — Inquiring in what year since 1849, Mint Coin blanks have been made outside the Mint.

From

1247 Do. — Forwarding bill Geo. Morgan Special Engraver, Oct.

From

1248 D. F. Adams, Cashier 2d Nat Bank, Toledo, Ohio. — Forwarding check for $50.35 excess in shipment of Silver Coin received.

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31		To	
	Director of the Mint	309	Forwarding Requisition for November, $34.000.
		To	
	M. Goldsmith, Lexington Ry	311.	Error in calculating gold in his deposit. Difference $402.29 will be forwarded. Explaining return for silver in T. D.
		To	
	Director of the Mint	313	Explaining resignation of Miss Wagner and appointment of Miss Jackson, adjuster.
		To	
	Do.	315	Forwarding B/L and bill for 1 bbl. bone ash from M. Phillips for
		To	
	Do.	317.	Forwarding report of Coinage for month ending 31st.
		To	
	Do.	318.	Reporting theft of metal by Gerlach, an employé in the G. & S. Melting Room, M. & R. Dept, and requesting instructions.
		To	
	Do.	321.	Monthly examination satisfactory. Cash on hand, $2,802,978.26

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M & R Dept Exam'n # 1 & 2.	From 1249	Director of the Mint (Telegram)	Mr R E Preston to examine into Gerlach's theft and the operations of the M & R Dept. in general.
	From 1247½	Director of the Mint	Arrest Gerlach immediately.
	From 1250	Do —	Acknowledging $216 - pay of M V Davis, Asst.
	From 1251.	Do —	Inquiring number of pieces per minute, assorted by Seyee Machines.
Seyee Filed 2 letters	From 1252	C C Bosbyshell Coiner	Reply to above: 80 each.
	From 1253	Do —	Forwarding nomination of Miss L C Milhouse, Adjuster.
Ans # 1112 Same.	From 1254	Jos Grant Pres, Reading Pa	Acknowledging G/D for 3 Silver.
	From 1255	A & H R Sigler Adrian Mich	Relative to dep. of Silver Plate.
	From 1255½	H McVicker Coshocton O	Forwarding "ore" for Examination.
Newton Bank Shortage #1.	From 1256	L M Love Pres Nevada Bank, S.F.	Claims errors of 200 oz. in invoices of P.B. & consequent shortage 195.45 Gross: & demanding $204.41 in payment.
	To D. M.	323.	Forwarding oaths of H J Cooper Gen. Dept, & E.B. Marck, C Dept.
	To Do.	324.	Submitting appointment of Miss L.C. Milhouse, C. Dept.
	To A. & H. R. Sigler Adrian, Mich.	325	Their Silver deposit was purchased and proceeds, in gold coin sent by Express Oct 30th

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To

D. M. 327. Reporting number of pieces per minute assorted by Reyes Machines.

To

Do. 328. Stating dates when minor coin planchets were made outside the Mint.

To

Do. 329. Acknowledging order to arrest Gerlach and reporting steps taken.

To

C. Balbach & Co 330 Requesting bid for sweeps,
Newark N. J.

To

A. W. Spear & Co 331 Do —
NY

To

Howard & Mohle 331½ Do —
NY

To

W. L. Waterbury & Co 332 Do —
NY

To

C. S. Dennis & Son 333 Do —
Newark N. J.

To

R. Longman's Sons 334 Do —
N.Y.

— 336 Statement of Sweeps enclosed in each of the above, 330–4.

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2.

From
1257 D. M. — Approving Requisition for Nov. @ $34,000.

From
1258 Do. — Acknowledging bill of McPhillips & B/L for 1 bbl bone dust for A.C. Helena.

From
1259 Do. — Approving appointment of Miss Sara Jackson, Adjutress vice Miss E. M. Wagner.

From
1260 Do. — Confirming telegram to arrest Gerlach. Investigate thoroughly.

McCroft Examination as to action of M.

From
1261 J. A. Booth M. & R. — Report of Gerlach's theft and the M. & R's action.

From
1262 Geo. Pence. Asst Cr 1st Nat BK Columbus, O. — Forwarding silver 1/4 for examination.

From
1263 O. F. Norman Decatur Ala. — Forwarding impression of old Dollar (1777) for information

To
Do — 337 — Coin is a thaler of Hall. Offering $1.50 for it

To
G. Pence Columbus O — 339 — Quarter good but split. Pending a perfect one.

3.

From		
1264	D.M.	Asks, oaths H.J. Cooper and E.B. Mauch.
From		
1265	Do.	Approving appointment of Miss L.C. Milhouse Asst.
From		
1266	Howard & Möhle N.Y.	Requesting samples of sweeps offered.
From		
1267	M.E. Veitch Cash. Central Ill. Bank Assoc. Jacksonville Ill	Reporting 1 wood silver coin $50. short (Cashier's note: sent to Toledo, Ohio.
To		
D.M.	340	Forwarding Ord. Yr. Oct.
To		
Do.	341.	Forwarding Refinery Yr. October.
To		
(Telegram) Howard & Möhle N.Y.	342	Come and draw samples of sweeps.
To		
M.E. Veitch Cr Jacksonville Ill.	343	Forwarding $50. shortage and explaining error.
To		
D.M.	344	Forwarding Minor Coinage Statements, October.
To		
Do.	345	Forwarding report of Coinage week ending 3rd.
To		
Do.	346.	Forwarding McK's report of Gerlach's theft &c. and explaining delay in procuring his arrest.

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3.		To D.M.	348. Forwarding oath of Miss Sara Jackson adjuster.
5.	From 1268.	D.M.	Ordering trial settlement of M&K's accounts & bullion weighed in M. Preston's presence.
	From 1268½.	O.C. Bosbyshell Coiner	Requesting transfer of S. Tomlinson, roller and T. Gillespie, cutter to be annealers @ $3–
	From 1269	J. Nazro Coln., Milwaukee, Wis.	Forwarding $483.50 light gold for recoinage.
	From 1270	A.T. Adams Pt 2d Nat'l Bk, Toledo, O	Stating denominations of silver received ($50. in excess) &c.
	From 1271	J.B. Hutchison Jeanesville, Pa.	Inquiring time needed for ore assay.
	From 1272	G.W. Lance Cove P.O. Ark	Forwarding samples of ore for examination.
	From 1273	A.L. Pierson Galveston Texas	Inquiring about Gold deposit.
	From 1274	J.H. Schaeffer Phila.	Inquiring weight &c. of various coins. (Not to be answered, by order of Supt.)

5.		To	
	J. B. Hutchison	349	Stating terms for ore assay.
	Jeanesville, Pa.		
		To	
	A. F. Adams,	350	Acknowledging information relative to excess of Silver com Rent off. Noting further deposit expected.
	Pr., Toledo O.		
		To	
	A. Pierson	351	Proceeds of Gold deposit sent by Express Sept 12th.
	Galveston Tex.		
		To	
	L. M. Lane	353	Acknowledging letter of Oct 23 with claim for shortage on Silver Bullion 175 45 oz. Sending detailed statement of the Purchase, with remarks. The Mint paid $256 53 more than the invoice called for.
	Pres Nevada Bank S.F.		
		To	
	L. M.	354.	Forwarding copies of correspondence with M. M. Lane, Nevada Bank; see above.
		To	
	Do.	356	Forwarding A/C $1534 39 Refinery charges.
6		To	
	L. M.	357	Statement of Bullion Fund Oct 31st.
		To	
	Do.	358	Forwarding Bullion & Coinage A/c's 3d qu 1877.

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7. From 1275 D.M. — Acknowledging Ord'ce and Refinery a/c, Oct.

From 1276 Do. — Acknowledging Mint Coinage Statements, Oct.

From 1277 Do. — Acknowledging oath of Miss S. Jackson to Dept.

From 1278 Do. — Acknowledging G/D $1587.39 Refinery Charges.

From 1279 W.M. Barber Engraver — Repeating inquiry as to guage of dies for Carson.

To D.M. 359 — Forwarding oath of Miss L.C. Milhouse to Dept.

To Howard & Möhle N.Y. 360 — Accepting bid for Presses.

To A.C. Dennis & Son Newark 361 — Declining do—

To R. Longman's Sons N.Y. 362 — Do. do—

To A.W. Spear & Co N.Y. 363 — Do. do—

To E. Balbach & Son Newark 364 — Do. do—

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To
D. M. 365 Forwarding Engravers renewed inquiry about gauge of dies for Carson. (1st inquiry sent Oct 19)

To
J Gilfillan 366 Forw. C/D $4.000 — for subsid. silver coin.
Treasurer U.S.

To
D. M. 367 Submitting transfers of S. Faulkner, roller & T Gillespie, cutter to be annealers, and increase of pay, T Thompson, Counter, all in C. Dept.

8th From
1280 D. M. Forwarding copies of letters from Supt & Coiner S.F., relative to dies from new brand of steel.

From
1281 Do. Acknowledging Bullion a/c 3rd qu 1877.

9 From
1282 D. M. Forwarding authority from Secs. Treas. for repayment to 1st Nat Bk, Shakopee, Minn, $10.59 p.s. for transportation of Silver coin, March 1877.

Herein #1322, 1337.

From
1288 Do. Has inquired of Supt, Carson about gauge of dies —

9	From 1284	D. M.	Acknowledging oath of Miss L. A. Milhouse, Adjuster.
	From 1285	Do.	Approving transfers J. Tomlinson and J. Gillespie and increased pay T. Thompson, Dept.
	From 1286	J. Gilfillan Treasurer U.S.	Forwarding draft $34,000 - Requis. for November.
	From 1287	Do.	Forwarding $24 - in old silver for deposit.
	From 1288	T. L. Acken Supt AD M.M.	Forwarding report of test coins for October.
	From 1289	Howard Möhle M.M.	Will take sweeps early next week.
Herein #1303, 1347	From 1290	D. R. Anthony Pres't Leavenworth Kansas	Forwarding $20.22 in 3¢ silver for exchange.
	From 1291	Cashier 1st Nat Bank Charlotte N.C.	Received $100. in 3¢ nickels, not sent for. Held to order. (Mem. of ofc. N.C. below - miscent.)
	To Assayer, Melter and Coiner	369	Forwarding M.M.A.D. report of test coins, October.
	To D. R. Anthony Leavenworth Kans.	370	Silver 3¢ are not redeemable. The Mint will buy them as bullion.

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To

J Nazro 391 Forwarding C/D $477.02 light gold received.
Coll'r Wilmington N.C.
Milwaukee Wis To

D.M. 392 Asks. authority to repay 1st Nat'l Bk Chakopee Minn. for transportation and forw. dupl. bill & warrant for endorsement & return.

10 From

1292 D.M. Forw copy of letter from Supt. Carson, and set of gauges for dies.

From

1293 Sanger Bros Dallas Texas Forw. Dft $100. for 5¢ & 10¢ silver.

To

D.M. 394 Forwarding report of Coinage week ending 10th.

To

Aitken Sons & Co. N.Y. 395 No new Minor coins: can send cleaned ones.

To

Sanger Bros. 396 Returning draft sent for
Dallas, Tex. Dupl. silver, and forw. Circular.

To

A. Gourdy 397 Stating terms for ore assays.
DeKalb Junction
N.Y.

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10		To	
	John Sherman Sec Treasury	378	Requesting 1000 blank warrants for Ord dpt. Sample enclosed
12	From (Telegram)		
	1294 D.W.		Clean drop wells if practicable.
	From		
	1295 W. Phillips Prof. Univ. of North Carolina Chapel Hill N.C.		Inquiring Specific gravity of Gold & Silver "ready for coining"
		To	
	Do —	379	Reply: depends on the alloy: & in Gold coins, on the amount of Silver in the alloy. Gold coin 17.20 @ 17.50; Silver coin 10.30; Fine Gold, 19.30; Fine Silver, 10.55.
		To	
	M. E. Powel	381	Two cent piece sent for examination injured by heating. Returned —
13	From		
	1296 Wm Chapin Principal Blind Inst Phila.		Requesting Statement of dpt.

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To

S. A. Bridges Mld. 382 No vacancies and hundreds of applications.

To

G. J. Chester London 383 Thanking for coins presented to Mint Cabinet (Harold I and Edward the Confessor)—

To

D. M. 384 Forwarding statements of deposits, purchases & bars October.

To

Do. 385 Forwarding Coiners Gold and Silver Workings, October.

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From

1297 A. W. Hall Sp. Dep. Coll. Milwaukee (Telegram) Acknowledging D/D $477.02 light gold received.

From

1298 Konrad & Möhle N.Y. (Telegram) Relative to paying for Dwts.

From

1299 McByrne & Co New Orleans Inquiring after $100. in pennies

From

1300 D.M. Forwarding bill M. V. Davis, expenses in preparing "History".

From

1301 Do— Acknowledging Coiners reports, Oct.

From

1302 Do— Ack. Statements Deposits etc— Oct.

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15.	(Telegram)	To	
	M. L. Byrne & Co N.O.	386	Pennies sent 13th.
		To	
	D. M.	387	Forwarding $42.64, M. V. Davis bill of expenses.
		To	
	J. Gilfillan Treasurer U.S.	388	Forwarding P.D. $19.24 for old silver coin deposited.
		To	
	D. M.	389	Requesting Requisition $500. Refinery Expenses.
		To	
	Do.	390	Requesting transfer to Mint of $10,000. bronze pennies.
16	From		
2nd 1878 Issue	1503 J. R. Anthony Leavenworth Kans		Requ. remittance for 3¢ pieces deposited by registered letter, in currency.
	From (Telegram)		
	1504. M. L. Byrne & Co N.O.		Acknowledging pennies and asking if 2¢ & 3¢ pieces can be supplied.
		To	
	D. J. Morris Branchville N.J.	391	Rock sent, clay chiefly.
		To	
	Rev. J. S. Smith Myersville Md.	392	Mineral, decomposed micaceous rock.
	(Telegram)	To	
	M. L. Byrne & Co N.O.	393	Can send 1¢, 3¢, & 5¢. No 2¢ coined.

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17	From		
	1305	D.M.	Request for $10,000 in pennies referred to Treasurer U.S.
	From		
	1306	Do.	Has requested $500. for Refinery.
	From		
	1307	Do-	Forwarding 2,000 blank warrants.
	From		
	1308	Do-	Acknowledging $42.64, bill of M.V. Davis—
	From		
Herein #1310, 1326.	1309	Do-	Relative to bills W.H. Murphy's Sons and C. Dunkelberger, for Stationery, in Ord'ge, Oct.- Order of Secretary of Oct 1875, requires Stationery to be obtained from the Dept.
	From		
In #1309 Env.	1310	C.C. Bvebyshell Miner	Explaining items in bill of C. Dunkelberger, above letter refers
	To		
	Algondy De Kalb Junction N.Y.	394	Cannot assay a ton of ores Refers him to Balbach—
	To		
	D.M.	395	Forw. report Coinage, week ending 17th.

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19 From
1311. N P Garretson — Forwarding draft $1.000 — for
Pres. Nat. Bk, Burlington, Kans. — silver coin.

From
1312. A Eastman — Inquiring location of Branch Mints
River Falls, Wis. — & meaning of Mint marks.

To
N P Garretson 396 — Returning draft & forwarding
Burlington Kans. — Circular.

To
A Eastman 397 — Reply to inquiries.
River Falls Wis

To
D. M. 399. — Reporting forwarding dies,
1878, to San Francisco Mint

20 From
1313 J Gilfillan — Forwarding To #4761 on A.T.
Treasurer U.S. — Phila. for $10,000. pennies.

From (Telegram)
1314 M L Byrne & Co — Ordering $50. in 3¢ pieces,
N.O. — C.O.D.

From
1315 D L Evans — Inquiring about pennies for
N.Y. — M L Byrne & Co. N.O.

From
1316 J H Gautier & Co — Acknowledging Samples of
Jersey City N.J. — Cover & Dipper, but no advices

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20 (Telegram)

To
M & C Byrne & Co 400
N.O.
Amount sent coin C.O.D.

To
D L Evans 401
N.Y.
Pennies sent to M & C Byrne & Co. on 13th.

To
J H Gautier & Co 402
Jersey City N.J.
Advices sent 19th by M. & K.

To
D R Anthony 403
Leavenworth Kans
Draw. $15.00 in currency per $1467 sold Paid for dep. of Silver 87.

21. From
1317 L M & Lane
Pres Nevada Bank S.F.
Persisting in claim of shortage on Silver Bullion.

From
1318 J Dixon Crucible Co
Jersey City N.J.
Acknowledging unsigned order for Crucibles etc.

From
1319 J B Hawk
Shippensburg, Pa.
Forwarding Mineral for examination.

To
Do — 404
Mineral, Sand & mica.

22. From
1320 D.M.
Forwarding ore for assay.

From
1321 J. Gilfillan
Treasurer U.S.
Forwarding draft $500— Refinery Ys.

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To

J. Gilfillan 405 — Requesting T.O. $50,000 for
Treasurer U.S. — Minor Coins reissued.

To

J. A. Schloss 406 — Quarter dollar genuine but
Bloomington Ind — split. Forwarding a good one.

To

D.M. 407. — Explaining bills of Memphis
Sons & Co Dunkelberger, Ord. 9th-
Oct. Inquiring about reporting
inferior quality and insufficient
quantity of Stationery from the
Dept. (Coins & letter enclosed)

Do. 413. — Reporting forwarding dies for
1878 to Carson Mint.

23 From

Dr. $1282 Same

1322 D.M. — Forwarding bill 1st Nat'l Bk Shakopee
Minn., transportation, for payment
from Silver Profits.

From

1323 Do. — Ord. as to Oct., referred.

From

1324 F. Haven Jr — Forwarding 2 5¢ nickels, counter-
A.T., Boston — feit, apparently reissued.

To

D.M. 414. — Forwarding P/D $45.43 Refinery
Charges.

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24.	From		
	1325	D. M.	Inquiring if the Mint admitted errors in invoices of Nevada Bank Q.B.; & calling for copies of all Papers in the matter.
	From		
	1326	Do.	Articles of Stationery urgently needed, may be purchased. All other supplies must come from the Dept.
	From		
	1327	J B Brush Cr 1st Nat Bk, Owego, N.Y.	Forwarding Samples of Silver for assays.
	From		
	1328	W M Fisher & Co Providence R.I.	Forwarding sample of chain for assays.
	To		
	D. M.	415.	Forwarding $10.80 for 1st Nat Bk Shakopee, Minn.
	To		
	Do.	416.	Forwarding report of Coinage, week ending 24th.

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26 Coal Inv. 1877 (1441.) for 1372, 1441.

From
1329 D.W. Relative to price paid for coal and quantity used. High daily consumption for next 2 weeks. Great care to be used to get lowest current price, for this and all other supplies.

Mr Wright Grant No 5

From
1330 Do. Inquiring assay value of sweeps from wells.

From
1331 Do. Acknowledging D/D $45.43 Refinery charges.

From
1332 Aitken Son & Co N.Y. Thanking for Miner Coins.

From
1333 W R Page Treas. Edgemoggin Silver Mining Co. Boston Mass Inquiring rules about deposit and purchase of Bullion.

From
1334 J A Schloss Bloomington Ind Forwarding silver 25/ per exam.

To
D.W. 417 Sweeps from wells, being assayed.

To
W R Page, Treas 418 Boston Mass Bullion must be purified of lead and brought to a high fineness, before deposit.

To
Wm Fisher & Co 419 Providence R.I. Reporting assay of claim.

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27 From
1335 D. M. Requesting Statement of D.B. purchased under authority of Oct 26th

From
1336 Do. Forwarding bill of M. Davis Nov.

From
1337 Do. Acknowledging $10.80 for 1st Nat Bank Shakopee Minn.

From
1338 J. Gilfillan Treasurer St. Forwarding $22.38 in small silver for deposit.

From
1339 Do. Forwarding $13.01 do —

To
D. M. 420 Forwarding $208- for Mr. Davis.

To
Do 421 Submitting appointments of Mr R Brinton & A B Sayres, laborers in Ops Dept.

To
J. B. Brush 422 Reporting assays of 4 samples.
Supt, Oswego N.Y. The metal needs refining

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28.	From		
M+R Dept Exam'n # 6	1340	D. M.	Conclusions and instructions relative to operations, especially in the M+R Dept, based upon Mr Preston's Examination.
M+R Dept Exam'n # 7	From		
	1341	Do.	Regulations relative to transfers of Bullion between the Supt. and Operative Officers.
	To		
	J. C. Booth M+R.	423	Forwarding copy of above Regulations.
	To		
	O. A. Bosbyshell Coiner	424	Do —
	To		
	H. S. Cahman Weigh Clerk	425	Do —
	To		
	D M	426	Forwarding Statement of $ 13 Purchased under authority of Oct 26th ".
	To		
	Do.	427	Acknowledging letter forwarding letter of Mrs Taylor, relative to fire-bricks for M+R Dept. Price fixed @ 60¢ per.
	To		
	Do.	428	Relative to contract for coal, + Comparison with N.Y. prices, etc.

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From
1342 DNW — Approving appointments of Wm K Brinton & AB Sayres, Gen Dept.

From
1343 Do. — Acknowledging $208. for Mr. Davis.

From
1344 A. Gallinger, Pittsburg Pa — Inquiring about small returns for Silver deposit.

From
1345 E L Jones, Pres. City Bank, Atlanta Ga. — Relative to Gold deposit.

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From
1346 W. H. Banks, Capt. Night Watch — Reporting door of assay laby left open last night.

From
1347 D R Anthony Jr, Leavenworth Kans — Acknowledging $5. cy. for 3¢ pieces. (In #1290, June)

From
1348 J Morton, Bridgeton N. J. — Inquiring value of various coins.

From
1349 H G Sidle, Cashier 1st Nat Bank, Minneapolis Minn. — Forwarding 25¢ piece for Examination.

From
1350 W H Tyler, Harrisburg Pa — Forwarding N. J. cent for examination.

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To

W. M. Tyler 433 — Pa. coin is a New Jersey Cent (1786-88.)
Harrisburg Pa

To

D. M. 434 — Acknowledging instructions relative to transfers of bullion.

To

E. L. Jones 435 — Adams Ex. Co. forwarded paymt for deposit to Continental Nat. Bk. of N.Y., Nov 26th.
Pres. City Bank, Atlanta Ga

To

D. M. 436. — Forwarding report of Coinage month of November.

To

J. B. Brush Cr — Acknowledging drafts $8.+$5.25.
Owego N.Y. 437 — Stating rules for receiving dep. of bullion.

To

D. M. 439. — Forwarding requisition for December $34,000.

To

C. Phillips 440 — Forwarding replies to inquiries
Chapel Hill N.C.

To

J. Gilfillan 441 — Forwarding C/D $2976 for
Treasurer U.S. — value $9+$7 pieces deposited.

To

D. M. 442. — Reporting Bullion Fund this day, $3,259,925.93

To

Do. 443. — Monthly examination satisfactory, Cash on hand $2,918,194.±